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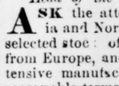

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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THE DUEL BY CANDLE-LIGHT.

BY BLUNDERBUSS!

It was in the winter of 185—the 17th of November. Well do I remember the day—not alone from the circumstance I am about to relate, but—but no matter. The experience of every adventurer here is dotted with enduring landmarks, to guide the noiseless step of recollection back through the dim vistans of the past, and lengthen the great way of life. Broad, this evening, is the road we traveled to-day, and flowers still blossom beside it, and thorns linger in the sight; but further back, and it narrows into a threadlike path, along which the flowers lie dead and scentless, and touching here and there at a moment of bliss or sepulchre of hope, approaches the confines of memory, and is soon loss to sight.

Well, it was the 17th of November.—The day had been a dreary, drizzling one, and as night approached, the wind lulled, and a heavy fog rolled like a mighty avalanche of snow over the hills west of San Francisco, and settled in a thick, almost drenching mist over muddy street and honsetop. 'Twas, indeed, a chilly, cheerless evening, and we did not wonder then, nor do we now, that the gambling houses were crowded, and the bars of the drinking saloons thronged, for the city was full of strangers, and promenading the half-paved streets by the uncertain light of an occasional door-lamp could scarcely be deemed a positive enjoyment.

The 'El Dorado' was then the great centre of attraction It was not only one of the largest and most subtantial structures in the city, but its proprietors were men whose wealth was counted by tens of thousands, and every bank in its capacious saloon was loaded with golden slugs and ounces. Through the room were ranged no less than twenty tables, at which were played 'faro,' 'monte,' 'vinget-et-un,' 'rouge-et-noir,' 'lansquenet,' and a variety of other games, the very names of which have escaped me; while from a raised platform poured a continuous flood of exquisite music from a band of the best musicians in the country. The finest musical talent in the State found employment in the gambling saloons of San Francisco and Sacramento, and many of the most noted performers in the country to-day made their debut before an audience of gamblers.—Simonton, the well-known violinist, and Pettitions, one of the best pianists in the State, for two years occupied together the platform of the 'El Dorado,' at Sacramento, receiving $64 per day for their services, and the very first musician in the city once led an orchestra at another gambling house in the 'City of the Plains.

As we said before, the 'El Dorado' was crowded. Many were betting and venturing their last dollar with an unconcern characteristic of the times, while as many more were elbowing their way from one table to another, with no other object than the gratification of their curiosity, and the vain hope of seeing some desperate gamester 'tap' a bank and win it. A dozen or more were reeling through the saloon entirely too wealthy in their own estimation even to covet the piles of lucre around them, while not a few might be observed with hands jammed into their empty pockets, staring abstractedly at the progress of a game that had relieved them of their last ounce.

The band had commenced its second performance for the evening, and seemed intent in boisterous execution to drown the clamor of clinking silver, when a tall, muscular-looking miner stopped in front of the door, and gazing a moment at the scene within, buttoned his thick coat around him and started slowly down Washington street He was coarsely, but comfortably clad. A pair of heavy brown whiskers completely covered his face, and the broad brim of a slouched hat almost rested upon his shoulders.

'This way, Jane,' said a voice to a female, who had just emerged from a small wooden building immediately below the 'El Dorado,' and stood hesitating beside a pool of mud and water. The miner stopped, and as the woman carefully selected a stepping-place and sprang to the pavement, he involuntarily caught her by the arm.—Somewhat surprised at the prompt assistance, she gazed into his unshorn face for a moment, and thanking him politely, passed on with her companion, who had taken a more circuitious but less dangerous (to his polished boots) route to the sidewalk.

Hesitating a moment, the minor turned and followed. He started as he saw her enter the gambling saloon. Pushing his way through the crowd, he next discovered her seated behind a monte-table. We do not wonder that he looked at her more than once, that his heart beat and his dark eyes flashed—for her sweet face was pale and careworn, and the smiles that played upon it as meaningless as a wayside moonbeam. Her companion, who 'called' and 'cashed' the game as she turned the cards, was what any lady, without a too careful scrutiny of face, would have pronounced a fine-looking man. He was dressed in extreme of good taste, with the exceeption, perhaps, of too great a display of jewelry. His features were regular, and his eyes piercing and restless; but that proud curl of the lip, which not unfrequently denotes firmness and manly independence, in him was a repulsive indication of recklessness and disdain.

The cards were shuffled and a 'lay out' given.

'Make your bets, gentlemen,' sang out the gambler, while he jingled a pile of silver before him; 'a jack and a ten—make your bets.'

Pulling his hat over his eyes, the miner approached the table, and carelessly tossed a golden ounce upon the ten. The dealer looked up, and again her eyes met those of the unshorn stranger. She knew not why—for a thousand eyes had gazed as intently into hers before—but the color mounted to her cheek, and she involuntarily admonished the miner to withdraw his bet. The indication, slight though it appeared, was not lost to the gambler, who answered it with a frown dark as midnight, and turned a searching stare upon the stranger, who met it with a glance of defiance that brought the hand of the gambler to the handle of a revolver in his belt. The woman observed all. The miner quietly folded his arms, and the dealer, with trembling hand, proceeded to draw the cards. The jack won. Again the cards were dealt, and two ounces were thrown down by the stranger instead of one. He lost a second time, and again and again, until a pile of golden pieces had been transferred from his pocket to the table.

'Let your husband deal,' said the loser, addressing the woman, 'perhaps it may change my luck.'

'Certainly,' replied the gambler, reaching for the cards.

At the mention of the word 'husband' a peculiar smile rested upon his lips, and the eyes of the woman dropped to the table, as if to avoid the scrutiny of the stranger, that he might not read in them a confession that she had no husband, although she was a mother. But he read all.

Again the cards were dealt. There was a perceptible nervousness of the hand and strange twinkle in the eye of the miner, as he drew from the pockets of his overcoat two purses. All eyes were turned towards him.

'I'll bet a hundred ounces on the ace!' he exclaimed to the astonished gambler, dropping the sacks of dust upon the table, 'and will draw the cards myself.'

'Five hundred dollars is the limit,' exclaimed the gambler.

'There is no limit to your rascality!' thundered the stranger, 'nor should there be to your game!' and he replaced the purses in his pocket.

The gambler sprang to his feet, with his hand upon his revolver; but ere he could draw it, a blow from the horny fist of the stalwart miner sent him reeling to the floor.

In a moment all was confusion. A dozen gamblers from the adjoining tables rushed to the rescue of the fallen blackleg, with pistols and knives glittering in the lamplight. The woman had risen to her feet, and stood speechless behind the table.

'Stand back!' shouted the miner, drawing from a belt with his left hand a huge bowieknife, and swinging an eight inch navy revolver in the other; 'stand back!' he repeated, retreating against the wall as the gamblers attempted to close in upon him, or by the Mother of God I'll strew the floor with your carcases!'

'Shoot him down!' cried one the gamblers, brandishing a pistol over his head, and evincing little inclination to undertake the job himself.

'The first man that pulls a trigger dies!' said an elderly man breaking through the crowd, and placing himself beside the lion-hearted miner. 'Ten to one is too great an odds for any man. He is a stranger to me, but, by h—l, he shall have fair play!'

'Right! right!' shouted the crowd, beginning to understand the nature of the broil; 'give him a chance!' and a dozen more pistols suddenly found the light.

'Let me at him!' yelled the gambler who had been knocked down, attempting to reach the offender through the throng.

'Make way for him, hissed the miner, 'and I will use nothing but this!' and he raised his twelve inch 'bowie,' and threw himself into an attitude of defence.

'Hold!' said the elderly man, who had first insisted upon 'fair play;' 'if you really want to fight select some spot where there are fewer spectators; if not, put up your weapons!'

'You are right, my friend,' said the miner, 'but I will meet you scounderel where he will, when he will, and with what he will!'

'Enough,' returned the gambler, rendered desperate in his rage; 'follow me with a friend, and I will accommodate you in ten minutes!'

'I am completely at your service, said the stranger, 'but I have no friend here, unless I may call you one, from the friendly part you have already assumed in this difficulty.'

'I will not desert you now,' said the old man, extending his hand, 'for you are a brave man, and a Kentuckian knows how to appreciate courage.'

The miner smiled, and stepping towards the table where the woman was sitting pale and trembling, said to her in a low voice:

'Fear nothing—if you are sent for do not fail to come;' then taking the arm of the Kentuckian he followed the gambler, who was just quitting the saloon, accompanied by a friend.

'My friend,' said the miner, as soon as he had reached the street, 'the fight must be in a room alone, and without seconds—with what weapons I care not. Let whatever may transpire thereafter, excite no inquiry, and I will explain all to-morrow.'

The Kentuckian bowed. Both parties passed down Washington street for some distance, and halted in front of a small two story brick building. The door was opened by a Chinaman, and taking a lighted candle, the gambler led the way up a flight of stairs to a small back room. It had one window, and was furnished with a cot, bedstead, a washstand, and two chairs. Placing the light upon one of the latter, the gambler strode towards the stranger, who had just entered, and said:

'Here is the place, and now the time.' He expected the miner to manifest symptoms of terror at the announcement, and ask to defer the meeting; but he was in error, and the cool reply of 'exactly!' rendered him alarmingly cognizant of the fact.

As a last effort to shake the resolution of the beligerent mountaineer, and avoid the encounter for which he felt no inclination, the gambler said, with affected calmness.

'If we fight at all, it must be alone, and in this room, each armed with a revolver and 'bowie.'

'I am fortunately provided with both,' was the resolute reply.

'Then d——n you, take the consequences!' returned the gambler, determined to fire before the word and finding courage in the dishonorable resolution. He found little consolation in the smile just perceived through the heavy beard of his antagonist.

The arrangements for the desperate encounter were soon made. The principals, each armed with a knife and revolver, were to be placed on opposite sides of the room, the door was to be looked on the outside, and, at a word from the seconds, the fight was to commence with either weapon, and to continue for ten minutes, at the expiration of which time the seconds were to re-enter the room.

The weapons were examined, and the combatants placed for slaughter by candlelight. The door had scarcely been closed and locked before the gambler raised his pistol and fired. The ball lodged in the ceiling, not an inch from the head of the other. With the spring of a tiger the latter threw himself upon the gambler, and crushed him to the floor before he had time to again use either pistol or knife.—Wresting the weapons from the grasp, he seized him by the throat, and holding a knife to the breast, the miner swore he would bury it there if he uttered a loud word.

'All right! give the word!' said the miner, as the seconds were about to enter to ascertain the reason of the report.

'Are you ready?'

'Yes!'

'Fire,—one—two—three!'

No report follow, and the seconds looked at each other in silence.

'Now tell me, Mark Brigham, why I should not slay you, who attempted to assassinate me?' said the miner.

'The shot was accidental—indeed it was,' returned the gambler. 'Spare me, and I will return every dollar you have lost—give you all I possess.'

'Let me tell you now why I should slay you. It is not for the dollars you won from me, for I do not value them—not for your cowardly attempt to murder me, for I expected it. Listen. Ten years ago, you stole a young girl by the name of Jane Farley from a boarding school in Rochester, New York, and, under promise of marriage, induced her to elope with you to New Orleans. Her parents, who lived three miles from the city, did not know you, for you were not a resident of the place, and never visited the family but once. You did not marry the girl. You made her your mistress—the mistress of a gambler—and as such she became a mother. Shame presented her from communicating with her parents, and they are still ignorent of the fate Three years ago, she accompanied you to California. Her brother, who had become a man, and vowed to terribly avenge the dishonor of his sister, should he ever meet her seducer, followed shortly after, unaware of her presence here. One night he heard her name pronounced in the street. He followed her to a gambling hell, and recognized her, and by her side her seducer, whom he had seen but twice before.—In venturing his money, he found a ready means of bringing about an encounter, in which he determined to kill you. He met you in a room alone. You attemped to assassinate him. Do you know me now?

'Mercy!—spare me!' said the gambler "and—"

'On one condition,' replied Farley.

'Name it.'

'That you marry the woman you have dishonored, and abandon your thieving vocation.'

'I consent—but when?'

'This very hour.'

'I promise,' said the gambler.

But your promise is not sufficient," replied Farly. 'I will have a better guarantee. This pistol shall not leave my hands, or I your side, until the promise is fulfilled; and by my hopes of heaven, if you hesitated in the performance, or show a disposition to escape, I will put a ball through your body.'

Placing all the weapons in his pockets, except the pistol, which he held cocked in his hand, Farley released the gambler and ordered him to send for Jane and a carriage. Through the half-opened door, which the second had opened in response from a knock within, Brigham repeated the order to his astonished friend. Learning that no blood had been shed, the latter left the the house, and in a few minutes Jane was in the presence of the silent combatants. She requested an explanation, but was told that all would be made clear, and the whole party entered the carriage and were driven to the residence of a clergyman on Stockton street, where, at ten o'clock at night, with a pistol ready to use upon the bridegroom, should he falter, Mark Brigham and Jane Farley were made man and wife. The unshown miner then called her sister, and as she hung upon his neck she thanked God that the same hour had sent her a husband and a brother.

Brigham sent for his child, which had been left in New Orleans, purchased a tract of land in Los Angelos county, and is now a wealthy and respected resident of that region of the vine and fig tree. Farly is still a minor in "Old Tuolumne," and "Old Kaintuck," as the world reverently learned to call him was killed by the Kiamath Indians in 1855.

Caught in His Own Trap.—Once two ministers of the gospel were conversing extemporaneous preaching.

'Well,' said the old divine, waxing warm, you are a ruining yourself by writing your sermons and reading them off. Your congregation cannot become interested in your preaching; and if you were called upon to preach unexpectedly, unless you could get hold of an old sermon, you would be completely confused.

The young divine used all his eloquence but in vain to convince the old gentleman that the written sermons expressed his own thought and feelings, and, if called upon, he could preach extemporaneously.

'As we are of the same faith,' said the young minister, 'suppose you try me next Sabbath morning. On assending the pulpit you can hand me a text from any part of the Bible, and I will conceive you that I can preach without having looking at the text before I stood up Likewise, I must be allowed the same privilege with you, and see who will make the best of it.

The idea seemed to delight the old gentleman, and it was immediately agreed upon.

The followidg Sabbath, on mounting the pulpit, his senior brother handed him a slip of paper, on which was written: 'And the ass opened his mouth and spake; 'from this he preached a glorious sermon, chaining the attention of his delighted hearers, and charming his old friend with his eloquence.

In the afternoon, the younger brother, who was sitting below the pulpit, handed his slip. After arising and opening the Bible, the old man looked sadly around 'Am I not thine ass?' Pausing a few moments, he ran his fingers through his hair, straightened his collar, blew his nose like the last trumpet and read aloud—"Am I not thine ass?" Another pause, in which a deadly silence reigned. After reading the third time—"Am I not thine ass?" he leaned over the pulpit at his friend and in a doleful voice said—"*I think Iam Brother.*"

A Negro Thief.

On Tuesday last, a man registering his name as Jordan, representing himself as a negro trader, from Louisiana, on his return home from Richmond, sold to a gentleman of this city a negro boy about 13 years old, and soon after left the city by the Southern train. Shortly after his departure a gentleman reached this city from Kentucky and claimed the boy as his property, Jordan having stolen him, as he stated. The boy is held until the property is properly identified, and a proper officer has been despatched in pursuit of Jordan who is no doubt on his way South. We will refer more particularly to this affair in our next.

Charlotte Bulletin.

Almost True.

Somebody, speaking of the hurrying propensities of the Yankees, says: 'If a b g mortar could be constructed which would throw an immense bombshell, containing fifteen passengers, from St. Louis to Boston, in five minues, with an absolute certainty that fourteen would be killed by the explosion, tickets for the Express Bomb-Shell Line' would at once be a premium, each passenger being anxious for the chance to prove himself thy 'lucky fifteen.'

My men will rally at the tap of the drum" exclaimed a military captain, on a parade ground in an adjoining State "Yes, but they will rally quicker at the tap of a whisky barrell," replied a rather verdant mountain sprout, who was standing near by.

☞ "Will you have it raw or well done, said an Englishman to an Irishman, a few days ago, as he was cutting a piece of roast beef. 'I love it well done iver since I am in this country," replied Pat, "for it was rare enough we used to ate it in Ireland,"

☞ The wicked don't live out half their days," said a good man to his negro servant. 'Dat is quare," said Cuffy. 'Him no lib out half him day? Dem I s'pose he die 'bout 'leben o'clock in de afternoon.

☞ 'Do you retail things here?' asked a green specimen of humanity, as he poked his head into a store door.

'Yes sir,' replied the clerk, thinking he had got a customer.

'Then I wish you would retail my dog—he had it bit off about a month ago.'

And greeny strolled down the street with one eye closed, whistling yankee doodle.

☞ An advertisement, setting forth the many conveniences and advantages to be derived from metal window sashes,' among other particulars, observed that these sashes would last forever; and afterwards, if the owner had no further use for them, they might be sold for old iron.

☞ Married last week, John Cobb, to Miss Kate Webb. Their house will undoubtedly be full of cobwebs.

Democratic Pioneer.

J. B. GODWIN, : : : : : : : Editor.

ELIZABETH CITY:

TUESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 15, 1859.

District Convention.

The Democratic State Convention will meet in Raleigh on the 8th of March, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor, and appointing delegates for the State—to the Charleston Convention. District conventions are to be held before that time, for the selection of delegates to Charleston, and to the State Convention.

It is time that the Executive Committee for the 1st District had designated time and place for holding the District Convention, that the counties may hold meetings to appoint delegates.

When the dark clouds of war overshadowed our country—that country struggling for liberty—for "no taxation without representation"—her forces amounting to a few thousands, illy clad, discouraged, suffering for the necessaries of life, staining the frozen ground with blood as they marched, an Arnold was not wanting to attempt her ruin.

When after years of negociating, endeavoring to settle the prolific source of bitter feelings and the principle cause of the late war of Great Britain—the right of search—a Hull was not wanting to basely surrender his post, garrisoned by as brave men as ever drew a rammer.

And now that fanaticism has raised sectional and geographical boundaries, endeavoring to deprive the South of her political rights, and the individual Southerner of his property, a band of conspirators to put in execution its treasonous designs, has not been or is now wanting.

And *even now*, at the South there is not wanting an "Opposition," without blush, to declare that they would vote for a Black Republican (a friend, and aider and abettor of good old John Brown and his associates,) ere they would vote for a Democrat, for that party, to whose wise and politic measures, this present powerful republic is indebted for the broad territories her flag now floats over—for that party which has ever advocated conservative principles, principles guaranteeing to the Northern manufacturer and to the Southern planter equal rights and equal privileges.

At the North, that strong-hold of fanaticism, restiveness and intolerance, beholding in our "mind's eye" this *a la Turtufe* faction ranged under their leaders, Seward, Hale, Fred Douglass, etc.; we are not surprised, that the Opposition should vent their spleen in such expressions.

In Know-Nothing-American Baltimore, the patria of Blood Tubs, Red Necks, Enbolts, Plug Uglies &c. We are not surprised at it, when their own organ the 'American alluding to the disgraceful scenes enacted at the polls and in the streets on Wednesday last says:

"The city was given up to the control of lawless ruffianism, supported and encouraged by the police, and approved of and urged on by the recognised leaders of the American party."

But at the South, that a faction should have the hardihood even to *whisper* such opinions, even in its midnight conclave, against a party who has been laboring for years in dissiminating and advocating.

"Absolute non-interference by the General Government, to introduce or to exclude slaves, in any of the territories of the Union.

No Federal Slave Code. No Congressional discrimination in favor of slave property in the territories, and no Congressional discrimination against it.

Whenever in any of the territories the safety of slave persons or the right of slave property, or the right or safety of any description of persons or property, is unconstitutionally assailed, it is the power and duty of Congress, not less than of any and every other Department of the General Government, to exercise its proper functions, for the security of equal protection to the rights and safety of every species of persons and property.

The full and unimpaired right of popular sovereignty, entitling the people of each Territory, on application for their admission as a new State into the Union, to enact their own State Constitution, by a fair and full reference to a popular vote, without force, fraud or Federal dictation, and by such Constitution to provide for the maintenance or the prohibition of the institution of slavery as to them may seem best."

The idea is scarcely credible, and if the venerable Cicero were to rise and behold such a faction, in honest indignation he would reiterate: "Fuit, fuit, ista quondam in hac republica virtus, ut viri fortes acrionibus suppliciis civem perniciosum, quam acerbissimum hostem coercerent."

Target Shooting.

On Saturday last, the regular parade of the Independant Greys, three prizes were shot for; a green flowing plume, a heavy gold pencil, and a bowie knife.

Private Wm F. Sanders was the lucky winner of the first; Private Fredriok Enghert, the second, and Serg't Tamplin the third. It is due to the Company to state that their pieces are very old and much injured by rust, while lying in the public store house, having remained there nearly 30 years.

A CARD.

I hereby return my sincere thanks to my very kind friends for their noble efforts in assisting to rescue my goods from the flames during the burning of my house at Nag's Head on the 4th inst., and especially to Messrs. James Woodard, Wm. Happer, Joseph Perry, Thomas Perry, Caleb Burcoard, George Hobbs, who did all that friends could do to assist me.

A. E. JACOBS.

Nov. 8th, 1859.

☞ Population of the Town of Elizabeth ity, census of 1850—2824.

Who are the Baltimore Reformers?

The following, from the Baltimore *American*, a leading "*Opposition*" paper of that city, will, we have no doubt, in addition to answering the question, be received as a true statement of the disgraceful scenes which occurred at the election on last Wednesday:

[From the Baltimore American.]

THE GREAT OUTRAGE.—The election yesterday can be justly termed nothing but an outrage—an outrage against decency, against law, and against all rights, public and private. The city was given up to the control of ruffianism, supported and encouraged by the police, and approved of and urged on by the recognised leaders of the American party. Armed bands of lawless characters held possession of nearly all the polling places, the efforts which the friends of a fair and legal election made to preserve order were treated as acts of riot, and the only arrests made by the police were of respectable and well known citizens, whose whole lives are the guarantee of their obedience to the laws. Every species of fraud, every degree of ruffianism, and every violation of sworn duty, was used to defeat the expression of the will of the people. Bands of men, whose looks bespoke their character, rode in omnibusses and carriages from one poll to the other, voting without check at each. The accumulated disgrace and shame of the scene was painful to contemplate, and we can scarcely control our own feelings to write of it with any degree of calmness.

The reformers made a manly and determined stand for their rights, but it was against such odds of organized ruffianism and fraud as rendered the contest hopeless. Taunted, insulted, and abused, the slightest demonstration they made toward self-preservation was treated as a breach of the peace, and they were ignominiously dragged to the police stations, whilst their assailants were left to renew their outrages. They might have continued the struggle to the end, but the result could only have been the sacrifice of valuable lives, without accomplishing any ultimate good. With a number of the wards in the uncontrolled possession of their opponents, and fraudulent voting progressing without check at all but the Eighth and the Eleventh, the success of the ticket was an impossibility. Prudence as well as necessity dictated retirement from a contest which was hopeless unless they descended to the vile practices of their opponents.

☞ We find the following in the *Washington States* and publish it because it is complimentary to North Carolina and the distinguished North Carolinian, the author of the address:

INTERESTING MEETING OF THE LITERARY CLUB.

This club (a private association) assembled in unusually large force at Mr. Whitaker's lodgings, 451 Tenth street, on Thursday evening, to listen to a discourse of Colonel Wheeler (the historian of North Carolina) on the subject of "History regarded as the hand-maid of the Fine Arts." Several invited and distinguished visitors were present. Among them the Hon. Jacob Thompson, Secretary of the Interior, Hon. Judge Wayne, of the Supreme Court of the United States, Clark Mills, Esq., the eminent statuary, Dr. Stone, the president of the Art Association, Mr. Colburn, of Philadelphia, an erudite scholar and mathematician, and others, including several ladies.

Col. Wheeler, after dwelling at some length and much harmony on the excellence attained by the ancients in the fine arts, and the causes of that excellence, which he attributed to the influence exerted on the imagination by the ancient mythology and the public games, paaticularly the Olympic, camed own to modern times and our own country, and stated, that in the revolutionary history of his native State, North Carolina, there were subjects of the pencil of the painter and the chisel of the statuary quite as imposing as any national events that had, as yet, been commemorated by American artists, and which strange to say, had been singularly overlooked and disregarded.

Col. Wheeler surprised some of his hearers, and interested all, by informing them that the landing of the English in North America, the first blood shed in defence of American liberty against British aggression, and the first declaration of American independence, took place in North Carolina. Entering more into detail, he stated that the expedition sent out by Sir Walter Raleigh, led by Amidas and Barton, landed at Roanoke island, Currituck county, North Carolina, seventeen years before the first settlement was made in Virginia, and thirty-six before the landing at Plymouth, viz: On the 4th of July, 1554, the same day of the same month, on which, a little less than two centuries afterwards, the North American colonies declared their independence of the monther country, and resorted to arms to maintain it. Here, then, on the coast of North Carolina, the utterance of the English tongue in this land of the free was first heard, the first child of English parentage, Virginia Dare, (her name should be transmitted to posterity) was born, and the first roll of the British drum was wafted on the breeze. Again, the courage of the Colonists was first tested in a rencounter between them and the British troops, led on by the colonial governor, Tryon, at Alamance, North Carolina, on the 11th May, 1771, before the skirmish at Lexington, Mass., took place. Finally, he remarked that the first declaration of American independence—the fact, he said, was now placed beyond his dispute—was made by the patriotic citizens of Mecklenburg County, at Charlotte, N. C., in the month of May, 1775, fourteen months before the Declaration of Independence was signed by the representatives of the Colonies in convention assembled. These memorable events and several others that occurred in the revolutionary era in North Carolina, were, he said, as worthy of being commemorated by the genius of the American painter and sculptor, as the battle of Bunker Hill, the landing of the pilgrim fathers, or the surrender of the British at Yorktown, and he hoped that some artist would arise ere long competent to undertake such honorable labors, and to accomplish them in a satisfactory manner.

It is understood that the admirable address of Colonel Wheeler on this occasion, will be published in the pages of the National Democratic Quarterly Review.

☞ The absence of the Editor, will account for the small amount of editorial in to-day's issue. He will be at his post again in a few days.

AT THE TOURNAMENT—In Norfolk, Va., last week, Mr. G. K. Goodridge, Knight of Hiawatha, took the ring five times in six; and Mr. Baylor, the Knight of the Silver Star, Mr. Friend, Knight of Petersburg, and Mr. F. E. Goodridge, Knight of the Old Dominion, each took the ring three times in six.

The Knight of Hiawatha, being successful, declined the honor of crowning a Queen of Love and Beauty in favor of Capt. W. H. Morgan, of the Cadets of the Virginia Military Institute. At THE BALL, at Johnson's Hall, on Thursday night, Miss Lucy Walters, of Norfolk, was chosen and crowned as Queen of Love and Beauty by Capt. Morgan, of the Lexington Cadets, who, on the interesting occasion, delivered an appropriate address. Miss Fanny Cowdery, of Norfolk, was chosen and wreathed by Mr. R. B. Baylor, as the first Maid of Honor; Miss Ayres, of Brooklyn, was wreathed as second Maid of Honor, by Mr. John R. Todd, Mr. Friend, of Petersburg, having waived his claim in favor of Mr. Todd; and Miss Hattie Webb, of Portsmouth, was chosen and wreathed as the third Maid of Honor, by Mr. F. E. Goodridge.

In the list of Knights, appears the name of J. M. Sutton, Esq., of Bertie county, as "Knight of North Carolina."

An Old Soldier Gone.

We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. JAMES F. LEE, late proprietor of the 'Leigh House," in this place, who died Thursday, 9th, at 5 o'clock, A. M. Mr. Lee did his country much service, having been actively engaged in several fierce and bloody engagements with the Indians; also in the late war with Mexico, he, with a loyal and heroic heart, trod "cold duty's path," fighting the cause of honor, virtue, liberty and America.

Mr. Lee was born in Camden County, and at an early age entered the army, remaining there till honorably discharged at the close of the Mexican war; since which time he resided in this town, where by his gentlemanly and courteous conduct, he endeared himself to many.

He was buried with Military honors by the "State Guards," Capt. Martin, (of which Company he was a member,) assisted by the "Independent Greys," Capt. Cohoon.

Brave Lee, fare thee well!

SEABOARD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—Dr. W. G. Smith, of Northampton, Va., has been elected President of the Seaboard Agricultural Society, in place of that (to use the language of the committee to report officers) "true type of the North Carolina gentleman," J. T. Granbery, Esq., of Perquimans, who positively declined a re-election.

ELECTIONS.

MASSACHUSETTS.

A large portion of the State has now been heard from. Mr. Banks will have upwards of 20,000 plurality. The vote throughout the State is smaller than it has been for many years before, and from present appearances it will stand as follows: Banks, 60,000, Butler, 35,000; Briggs, not much over 12,000.

The entire Republican ticket for Councilors is probably elected.

The Democrats elect two Senators in Suffolk to three Republicans.

In the Norfolk Senatorial District, Col. Parker, Aid to the Governor, is defeated by Walker, Dem.

Spofford, the Democratic candidate for Senator in North Essex, fails of an election by only 22 votes.

In Melrose, the home of Burnham, the Liquor Agent, the Republican candidate for Representative is defeated.

In Taunton, a Representative is elected, who is classed as a Whig—and only one in the State.

The Democratic strength in the Legislature will not be much greater than in last year.

The vote in Boston to-day is the smallest east here during the last twenty years. At the Presidential election in 1844 it was over 5,000 larger.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The Tribune of this morning figures out the result of the election in this State yesterday as follows:

The five State officers on the Republican and American ticket are certainly elected by large majorities. The other four officers on the Republican State ticket are in doubt under the present returns, but the Tribune thinks the Republicans are probably elected. The Republicans have elected a majority of the new Senate, and probably have an increase majority in that body The Assembly is also strongly Republican. The county officers elected are three fourths of them Republicans.

New York City elects one Republican Senator, which is a gain. The "Mozart Hall" or Ex-Mayor Wood Democratic nominees fall very far below the 'Tammany Hall' candidates.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The vote in this city was only 54,000, over 65,000 less than the number of names registered. The Democratic majority in this city for Comptroller is 12,777; and for Secretary of State 19,071. The latter candidate received the vote of the American party.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—The telegraph lines South are working badly to-day, and it is impossible to obtain full returns of the Illinois election for local officers and one member of Congress to fill the vacancy, in the Sixth District, occasioned by the death of Hon. T. S. Harris.

The Springfield correspondent of the Times telegraphs that Sangamon county gives McClelland, Dem., 500 majority. The returns from the district indicate that he is elected by from four to five thousand majority. It gave Mr. Harris 4,547 majority last year.

Wisconsin Election.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 8—Scattering returns from various parts of the State show republican gains over 1857, and indicate the re-election of Randall as Governor.

Detroit Election.

DETROIT, Nov. 8.—Buhl, republican, has been elected Mayor by 800 majority. The republicans have elected seven of the ten aldermen.

The Martyr that is to Be.

We have protested more than once against the absurdity of classing old BROWN with any other description of persons than common thieves, murderers, and incendiaries. We thought we had already evidence enough to restrict him to that kind of society: but we have now a little more: The *Herald of Freedom* is an anti-slavery paper published at Lawrence in Kansas, celebrated as the head-quarters of the men who were sent out to do "Kansas work" by GERRIT SMITH, and other superabundants funds and *extra* benevolence in the Northern States. It has the names of SALMON P. CHASE and Senator WILSON flying from its mast-head as candidates for the Presidency. Of course it is bitterly Abolitionist. From that paper we learn that this whole Harper's Ferry business ('Kansas work') was projected and matured in Kansas. Old BROWN is shown up in his true colors by the paper in question.—Three months before any of his sons were killed, while they were all in the enjoyment of full health, at midnight, on the 24th May, 1856, ALLEN WILKINSON, WM. SHERMAN, WM. P. DOYLE, WM. DOYLE and DRURY DOYLE, peaceable citizens, living on Potawatmie Creek, were roused out of their beds, and taken from their homes, by a band of armed men, seven in number. 'All,' says the *Herald of Freedom*, 'were found the next morning by the road side or in the highway; some with a gash in their heads and sides and throats cut, others with their skulls split open in two places, with holes in their breasts and hands cut off, and others with holes in their breasts and their fingers cut off.' With regard to the perpetrators of these horrible murders, the *Herald of Freedom* speaks in the most positive terms. 'No man in Kansas,' it says, '*has pretended to deny that Old* JOHN BROWN *led that murderous foray, which massacred these men* UP TO THAT PERIOD NOT A HAIR OF OLD JNO BROWN'S HEAD, OR THAT OF ANY OF HIS SONS, HAD BEEN INJURED BY ANY OF THE PRO-SLAVERY PARTY. *It was not until the 30th of August, three months later, that the attack was made on Ossawotomie by the pro slavery forces, and* FREDERICK BROWN, *a son of old* JOHN, *was killed.*'

So, we have at last, a true picture of old BROWN, and we find him to be no other than what we suspected—a cold-blooded, midnight murderer, with not a particle of humanity or generosity belonging to his character. This is the man who has been the bosom friend of the humane and enlightened GERRIT SMITH, the philanthropic GIDDINGS, the philosophical GREELEY, and the pious BEECHER. What says JUNEVAL, must be the priest where a monkey is the God? What can be the nature of that society in which old BROWN is recognized as a hero?—*Richmond Dispatch.*

THE HARPER'S PERRY FORAY.

The Appeal in the Case of Brown--Trial of Shields Green--Cook's case--Condition of Stevens.

The counsel in Brown's case have filed exceptions to the decision of the court refusing the motion for an arrest of judgment, and will carry the case to the court of appeals now in session at Richmond. Mr. Chilton will argue the case before that court. It may be taken up in that court immediately, but, if not decided before the day fixed for the execution, it is believed Gov. Wise will grant a reprive.

The trial of Shields Green, alias Emperor, negro, is now going on. Mr. Griswold appeared as his counsel. Judge Russell, of Boston, is also on his way here to take part in the defence of the prisoners. In the remainder of the cases the same course will be pursued as in those of Brown and Coppoe. The prosecution will prove their points, get a verdict, and the defence will move for an arrest of judgment. The decision of the Court of Appeals in Brown's case will thus settle the whole. It is believed that the court will sentence all the prisoners to be hung on the same day.

In Cook's case it is anticipated that a plea of guilty will be entered, and that he will make certain revelations, upon the strength of which a commutation of sentence will be sought.

Stevens is still in a dangerous condition; nothing but his amazing physical strength and an iron constitution could have enabled him to survive under wounds sufficient to kill three ordinary men.

The excitement at Charlestown is subsiding, though a strict military guard is still maintained, and the trials of the remaining prisoners are not expected to develop any new or interesting points.

Mr Hoyt, one of Brown's counsel, has returned to Boston.

A batch of persons were admitted on Thursday to see the prisoners. Brown was anxious to know where Forbes was, having heard that he had left the country. He said he would very much like to see the revelations that were published in the Herald, under Forbes' signature.

A man was brought into Charlestown on Thursday by two of the Shepherdstown militia, who was taken up on suspicion of a spy. He is the man who has been referred to as going about the country collecting information for a history of Virginia. He is at present in jail.

The surveillance of strangers is in full force, and any one going about at night without the countersign is in danger of paying a visit to the guard house.—*The States.*

Thanksgiving.

We learn, by Proclamation made through the Raleigh Standard, that his Excellency, Gov. Ellis, has named Thursday, the 24th November, instant, as a day to be observed as a holy-day, for the purpose of returning thanks to the Almighty for the mercies and great blessings He has vouchsafed to us as a people. We hope the day will be properly observed by all the people, not only because His Excellency has so ordered, but especially because it is right and proper to acknowledge their thankfulness to God for the great blessings he has conferred.—*Charlotte Bulletin.*

Hazlett, of Pennsylvania, was yesterday captured in Carlisle, Pa., and was at midnight brought into Charlestown. Hazlett has nothing to say, having been instructed by council to answer no question, and give no intimation of his antecedents; and the other prisoners seem oppressed by an absolute incapability to recognize him, although called upon to identify him. This prisoner is, in appearance, the most reckless and determined of all that have been brought here.

Reported Insanity of Gerrit Smith.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Gerrit Smith has been sent to the Insane Asylum at Utica. His mental faculties are said to be seriously deranged.

The Slaveholding States a Unit in the Next Presidential Election.

The returns received of the Maryland elections are distinctive enough that the State is Democratic by thousands.

We have carried a large majority of the popular branch of the Legislature, and also the Senate. Upon joint ballot we shall outnumber the Opposition several votes.

But for the moborcratic usurption of the freedom of the ballot-box in Baltimore, the Democratic majoriy in the Legislature would have been overwhelming.

Maryland will be ours next November, from present indications, by at least ten thousand votes. Prior to that time, moborocracy—the meanest tyrant that ever ruled, the most unscrupulous and remorseless—will be so stifled as to prevent it from ever again raising its hideous hand. Maryland has at last a Legislature that will have the conscience and the courage to act in the interests of order and the right of suffrage.

All hail Maryland! Degenerate Baltimore, under your resolute guardianship, will henceforth be made to do her duty. Sound legislative measures for that purpose are as certain to be enacted as if they were already inscribed on the statute book.

The hand-writing is clearly written on the wall for Davis and Harris. They cannot add to their political ignominy even if they shall contribute all in their power to the Black Republican organization of the House. It will merely be the natural end of their inglorious public career. Ushered into Congressional life by crime, and nurtured by blood-stained outlawry, what better can be expected than that they should league with the conspirators whose sentiments engendered the Harper's Ferry butchery.

The Democracy of the slaveholding States has at last measured its strength. It is omnipotent in all of those States. There is not a Congressional district in either that will cast an electorial vote against it. A triangular contest, as we have all along asserted, is evidently, in view of the result in Maryland, an utter impossibility. Let the *Black Brown* Republicans come on with their "irrepressible conflict." They will encounter a united, inflexible foe.

'And many a banner shall be torn,
And many a knight to earth be borne,
And many a sheaf of arrows spent,
Ere Scotland's king shall cross the Trent.

The Maryland Election.

The full returns of the Maryland elections have been received, and the result is that the Democracy have secured a glorious victory notwithstanding the outrage committed by the outlaws in Baltimore in driving nearly every peacable citizen from the polls in that city, except those who voted for their rowdy ticket. Messrs. Kunkle, Hughes, and Stewart, Democrats, are elected to Congress, and the only member legally elected by the Opposition is Webster, in the 5th district.

THE LEGESLATURE.

We publish to-day a corrected table of the state of parties in the Legislature, by which it will be seen that the Democrats have secured majorities in both branches.

SENATE.

	Democrats.	Americans
Holding over	4	5
Cecil.	1	
Kent.	1	
Howard.	1	
Baltimore City.		1
Baltimore county.	1	
Talbot.	1	
Dorcester.		1
Worcester.	1	
Allegany.	1	
Carroll.		1
Hartford		1
Montgomery.	1	
Sommerset.	1	
	13	9

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

	Dem.	Amer.
Allegany.	1	3
Baltimore City.		10
Baltimore county.	6	
Caroline.	1	1
Hartford.		3
Kent.	1	1
Queen Anne's.	2	
Talbot.	2	
Anne Arundel.	3	
Montgomery.	2	
Prince George's.	3	
Calvert.	2	
Cecil.	2	1
Howard.	2	
Carrol.	1	2
Dorcester.	3	
Frederi k.	3	3
Washington.	4	1
Somerset.	1	2
Worcester.	3	
St. Charles'	2	
St. Mary's	2	
	46	28

Democratic majority 18.

INFAMOUS ASSAULT.—Among the wrongs perpetrated in the course of the late campaign and election in Baltimore, none seems to have been so wanton, cowardly and unprovoked as that committed on Wm. P. Preston, Esq., Democratic candidate for Congress in the third district. The facts, as stated by Mr. Preston, show that upon a familiar visit to the house of Mr. Rupper in the second ward, on Tuesday evening, while setting in a room unsuspecting assault, he was insidiously and suddenly struck down, and with a weapon and force capable of producing instant death. The perpetraitors of the deed are not known, and no arrest has consequently been made. Mr. Preston, we are pleased to say, though still suffering considerably, and is not thought to be dangerously injured.—*The Press.*

LARGE BEQUEST TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.—Lemuel Showell, the wealthiest man in Worcester Co., Maryland and, a whig died on the 4th inst;

On his death bed, we undertand, he called his relatives around him, and told them he had willed them a very large property; but from recent observations, he had become satisfied it would be of little value to them unless the democratic party is successful.—His dying request was that all his family and relatives should hereafter act with the democratic party, which they promised to do. The Showell family numbers a hundred in Worcester county.—*The Press.*

The following are the names of several political clubs, (all Americans, of course,) which lately figured at a public meeting, Baltimore: The Blood Tubs, Red Necks, Pioneer, Ashland, Spartans, Regulators, Black Snakes, Tigers, Enbolts, Gladiators, Rip Raps, Little Fellows, and Plug Uglies.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

It is seldom that the hand of friendship is called to trace a more painful record than that which announces the death of *Edward J. Chambers*, an event, which occured, at his residence, in Monroe county, Mississippi, on the 28th day of June last, after a long illness from typhoid fever.

It was the writer's privilege to have formed his acquaintance at the period of his intermarriage with a dear young friend, with whose family that connexion seemed thoroughly to identify him in interest and feeling. An association thus commenced, through the growth of a brief interval which separates it from the grave, acquired a cordiality and warmth, true and fervent, as though it had been extended over many years. This was a natural result of a better knowledge of his personal qualities, and a correct understanding of those traits in his character which always command respect and attract our love.

The impressions early produced, subsequent and more intimate intercourse served only to deepen with advancing time, and it soon became hard to distinguish in the affections which were felt between the recent stranger and those with whom he was united.

I cannot resist the temptation, nor forego the opportunity, which his untimely end affords, to drop a tear to his memory, over the grave which received him; and to commend to the crushed and bleeding hearts surviving, the consolations to be drawn from a short retrospect of his life.

Mr. Chambers was born in Mecklenburg county, Virginia, on the 8th day of January, 1828, and in infancy was dedicated to God in baptism. Although he was not in full communion with the Church, yet it is known that for some years before his death, he devoted himself strictly to religious duty—drinking from that living spring of truth, the Bible, and imparting, in the form of oral instruction to others, its gathered riches. The happy re-acting influence of such a course was seen in its effects *upon himself*; and shortly before his departure, in obedience to the Divine injunction, he partook for the first and last time of the consecrated emblems of a Saviour's love, of which, he, like his Saviour, should no more partake, till he drink anew in his Father's kingdom.

Of the peculiar personal traits which gave character and individuality to the deceased, the limits of this tribute to my friend's memory will allow little to be said. But it would be unjust to his memory to omit to speak of his simple, unaffected kindness of heart and *manner*; his generous, unselfish spirit; his amiable, child-like disposition; his soft, subdued, winning courtesy and gentleness; his purity and directness of purpose; his high aims and noble impulses; his unswerving fixed integrity, inapproachable to temptation; and yet, who, among those who enjoyed his familiar and unreserved intercourse, failed to perceive these striking and prominent virtues constituting the elements of his moral structure—and to be drawn, unresistingly, and in close compainonship, to him.

Such was Edward J. Chambers as a man among his fellow men, unselfish, truthful, sincere. What he was in the more intimate and tender relations that he sustained as husband towards one who had freely given him the treasure of a young, joyous heart, with its tide of affections fresh and healthful, that still young and smitten heart, with its affections blighted and desolate, can alone fully tell. Few were the happy years of their wedded life, and now the sorrows of premature widowhood shed their dark shadows upon her spirit. Invade not, with rude touch, the sanctuary of grief. In silence and solitude let the bereaved heart be softened, even to bursting, that it may find relief in the outgush of its bitter waters, and Heaven may pour with its depths the consolations of religious hope—that hope which, lighted up by divine revelation, follows the departing spirit, with overshadowing wings, across the dark stream to the land of immortal life and blessedness which lies beyond it.

But more than one bows to the stroke. A father, a circle of brothers and sisters, others scarcely less loving and beloved, pour out their common griefs in one flood upon the fresh earth where our young friend sleeps.—But they weep not as those who are without hope. A bright link, it is true, is broken from the social chain, and one of a little gronp is called away; but, as seen in the light of Christian faith, it is but a temporary parting, directed by a wisdom and goodness we must be assured of, though unable to comprehend, having for its object the well-being of the living not less than that of the dead. The adversities, as well as the prosperous days which are meted out, have their uses in the great scheme of God's providence. It is a duty to submit, uncomplainingly, to every dispensation, for He,

Behind a frowning providence,
But hides a smiling face.

Let that resignation to the Divine will find its strength in the assurance which comforted David when his child was taken from him:—"We may go to him, but he cannot come to us."

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ORIGIN OF "OLD SCRATCH."—Old Nick although considered rather sharp than otherwise, has been served some very acute tricks. Among the rest, there was a poor cobbler who made a league with him, and after enjoying every earthly blessing, he was waited upon at the end of the term by his brimstone majesty, who demanded his soul.

The cobbler took a sharp knife, and ripping off the sole of his shoe, threw it at the feet of his illustrious guest.

"What does this mean?" cried the latter.

"Look at the contract," replied the cobbler.

Satan examined the contract; found the word spelt "sole;" turned on his heel; went off scratching his head; and has been called "Old Scratch" ever since.

The Tennessee Legislature has before it a proposition to expel all free colored persons from the State after the 1st of January, 1862.

Breach of Promise--Deceiver Heavily

The Dayton (Ohio) Journal, 24th inst., says:

During the whole of last week the Supreme Court was engaged in the trial of a case for the breach of promise, which excited great interest as well as among the citizens of ington township, where the reside. Rebecca Thomas, plaintiff, is a young lady of three, well formed and rather the medium feminine size, with hair and eyes, and rather a pre The defendant, Joseph S. W well-to-do farmer aged about and "fair to middling" in ap The amount of damages claim $10,000.

It seems that after a long running through a period of six years, the defendant, White, the fair Rebecca to an ordi there, during an afternoon in in the year 1857, while seated under the spreading boughs of ple tree, the momentous ques put to the expectant maiden, gave a timid but emphatic "y tender and loving inquiry.

Time wore on; the ardor of tleman's passion seemed in cooled by the promise of Rebecca to unite her fortunes own. He visited her, escorted parties, balls and camp meet he had been doing for six years The fact that they were eng the next thing to it, was th of conversation among all the and acquaintances; they w nized as entitled to the d 'lovers,' at all events, in which they moved. White w nized in the family of the la affianced; went to see her on took tea, courted her sometime as three o'clock the next m slept the remainder of the nig her brother, and then staid to b

The lady had even gone so make the usual preparations nuptials, and had refused young man to pay his attent cause she was engaged. In t of all these expectations and a Mr. White, in the Spring married another lady. This case which the counsel for th claimed they had made out, defendant.

On the other hand, White popping of the question o under the umbrageous appe claring that he was only t lady amusing anecdotes in th ant locality. Attempts were m by the defence to impeach the ter of the young lady; but t understand, they signally f doing.

The jury, after being out hours, returned a verdict $2,0 plaintiff. A motion for a was made.

Heat from the Sun

Dr. Lardner says: "It is a fact, that if the earth were de alone upon the sun for heat not get enough to make the of animal and vegetable life surface. It results from the ches of Fouillet, that the sun heat enough in the course of melt a crust of ice seventy thick, almost as much as re ly the sun. This may appear when we consider how tiny small must be the amount of ceived from any one of these bodies. But the surprise when we remember that th firmament is so thickly st stars, that in some places they are crowded together within no greater than that occupi full moon."

BREACH OF PROMISE CASE—A lady in Rochester, New Y lately sued a gentleman for promise of marriage, and re $900. The principal evidence the defendant was that he p plaintiff his tobacco box, t gun of her father, assisted lady over a fence, and pres mother with a box of sn

☞ Elizabeth City, N. C city and a pleasant one population of 5,000, and only policeman. The pickings lawyers must be poor, in mention the fact that no "l law" may visit that locality view to business.—*Memphis Avalanche.*

MILLIONAIRES.—There lives Bombay, a Parsee merchant, Sir J Jejeebhoy, the first native of I who was elevated to the rank of hereditary title, yet which does to the British peerage, as many temporaries think. The Illustr of the World lately gave a pe Indian gentleman, with a m will has been proved in the Supr Bombay, and the whole of his and personal, was sworn under lacks of rupees—£8,500,000 s to $42,500,000 in American m is perhaps, the largest fortune any British subject, not a n the Marquis of Westminster, one half of the "West End" besides vast landed estates in the has an income of £800,000 p which taken at 30 years purcha capitalized at £240,000,000 sterl alent to $1,200,000,000 of o The late Dwarkanauth Tagore, who died of a broken heart, years ago, because his fortune h down in the commercial panic of the amount of only ten millions worth three times as much at one commenced the world with only pees.

There are several merchants in London, who are respectively to four million sterling. In M in the spring of 1850, six hou dined at the Albion Hotel, on a day, and were said to represent £12,000,000, equal to $60,000,000. These be the true money kings us, when a man is supposed to 000 he immediately receives the title of Millionaire.—*The Press.*

Arrest of Another Insurg

MEMPHIS, Nov. 8.—W. R. P alleged insurgent, has been arrested awaits the requisition of Gov. Wise

Corporation Proceedings.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., Nov. 7, 1859.

The Corporation of Elizabeth City met the Clerk's office, present: W. W. Kendy, *Mayor*. Wm. G. Pool, R. K. Speed, ry Culpepper, and Joseph Lawrence, *ommissioners*.

Ordered, that Mr. J. J. Grandy's Bill $15,19 for improvement of sidewalk be lowed.

Mr. W. H. Clark's Bill of $9 for sideks was presented and referred.

Ordered, that Mr. J. M. Jennings' Bill $80,75 for work on Albemarle Engine, c., be allowed.

Ordered that D. Y. Beach be allowed 133,33⅓, for services on the Streets, up November 1st, 1859.

Ordered, that D. Y. Beach be allowed 27 for services as Watchman, and catching ogs.

Ordered, that W. W. Kennedy be alwed $56,25, in part for services as Mayr.

Ordered that Nathan Morris be allowed he sum of $61 for services as Watchman, p to the 1st day of Nov. 1859.

Ordered that the Bill allowed to Dr. ool, August 1st, amount, $14,28 be issued in two orders, one of $9,50 and the ther of $4,78. Adjourned.

W. W. KENNEDY, MAYOR.

Test: CHAS. G. ELLIOTT, *Clerk*.

A WEALTHY MAN.—The New York orrespondent of the New Orleans *Crescent* ives the following account of George Law:

If anything don't pay, George Law respectfully drop it. He now owns nineenths of the Eighth Avenue Railroad, which alone is an income for a prince, and rowing more valuable every day. He lso owns nearly all the stock of the Ninth Avenue, which, when completed, will run rom the Battery through Greenwich street o the ninth Avenue, and thence to Harlem iver—a nine mile concern. Half the feries belong to Law. He owns the Dry Dock Bank, and the bank owns about forty acres of docks, houses, and land, allmost in the heart of the city. Law owns the Staten Island ferry boats, and two miles of water front, nearest New York, that in a few years will be worth for docks ten millions. He really owns the Flushing Railroad, and Heaven knows how much more he owns. That immense thinking brain keeps accumulating. I don't think he goes into large operation now for the purpose of making money. I think he works to keep from stagnating. Though not a politician, he wields a very powerful influence upon politics, especially upon local affairs. Most persons have an idea that he is an old man No such thing. He is only fifty one years old, and possesses one of those vigorous constitutions that will last him forty nine years longer.

CONVICTION OF CAPT. COOK.

CHARLESTOWN, Nov. 10.—The jury brought in a verdict to-day against John E. Cook of guilty of murder in the first degree, and inciting slaves to insurrection. The Court immediately sentenced Cook and all the other convicts tried since Brown was convicted, to be hung on the 16th of December. It is supposed the Governor will respite Brown to that day, and hang all at that time. The Court adjourned for the term.

Louisiana Election.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 8.—Miles Taylor (dem.) and Edward Bonlligny, (know nothing,) have been elected to congress by large majorities. The know-nothing majority in this city is 2,500. The Democratic State ticket is elected.

PATENT ISSUED.—A patent was issued Nov. 1st to John Colville, of Wilmingtou, N. C., assignor to himself and T. L. Colville, of same place; for improved method of adjusting circular saws.

A. D. Stephens one of the Harper's Ferry Insurgents, has with his own consent been handed over to the Federal authorities for trial.

DIED.

In Chambers county, Ala., in the vicinity of West Point, Mrs Cecelia Ellis, wife of Wm. H Ellis, formerly of Iredell County

THE PEOPLE'S TICKET.

The whole Dog, Snout, Tail and All.

FOR MAYOR, DR. J. T. P. C. COHOON

FOR COMMISSIONERS.

BENJAMIN WHITE, SR.
WM. GLOVER,
G. W. BELL,
A. WHITE,
WM. F. MARTIN.

FOR TREASURER, WM. C. BUTLER, SR

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE

North Carolina, Camden Co., } Superior Court of Law & Equity

By virtue of a decree of the Court of Equity obtained at Fall Term 1859 of said Court for the County of Camden I shall offer at public Sale before the Court House door in the said County on Monday the 12th day of December next (being Monday of Camden County Court) the property known as the Float Bridge belonging to Willis Grandy and the heirs of Samuel D. Lamb dec'd. Terms made known on the day of sale.

JOSEPH A. SPENCER, C. M. E.
Nov. 5th, 1859.—tf.

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Court of Equity obtained at Fall Term 1859 of said County of Camden we shall offer at public Sale before the Court House door in the said County on Monday the 12th of December, (being Monday of Camden County Court) the farm known as the Quarter tract, lying on the west side of the Dismal Swamp Canal, being the same land lately purchased by Joseph P. Gordon dec'd, of Samuel J Proctor, containing nine hundred acres, of which about five hundred acres are cleared and in high state of cultivation. There is a large body of Wood land lying immediately on the canal from which an immense amount of wood may be cut and easily gotten to market. TERMS, one two & three years credit—interest from January 1st, 1860. For further particulars apply to

JOS. A. SPENCER } Admr's.
WILLIS C. GORDON }
Nov. 5th, 1859.—tf.

"THE JONES LAMP,"

MANUFACTURED in every variety and style, and sold at general reduced prices, by

TABBELL & WYMAN,
37 Central street, Boston.
(Successors to E. F. Jones & Co.)

N. B.—The Jones' Burner, recently improved, gives more light and consumes less oil, than any other "Kerosene" or Coal Oil Burner manufactured.
Nov. 8th, 1859.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

THE farm on which I formerly resided on the North West Canal in Norfolk County containing about 420 acres and capable of producing one thousand barrels of corn, it has upon it a large Brick Dwelling and all necessary out buildings.

GEORGE D. HAPPER.
Nov. 8, 1859, Norfolk City.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR Sale.

The Subscriber having resolved to remove to the Western part of this State, offers for sale at low prices and on easy and accommodating terms, the following Lots in the town of Elizabeth City—to wit:

Lot No. 1. This is a well improved lot, near the outer limits of the town, on which the subscriber now resides. It has upon it a two story dwelling, 34 by 48, with a double balcony in front and rear. The build ng contains eight large and airy rooms—all with fire places. It was built in 1854, of the best materials, and possesses all the modern improvements. The lot has upon it a good kitchen with fine large rooms—Smoke house, wood-house, Granary and stables; also a colonade leading from the dwelling to the kitchen, with three large pantries. Not the least inducement to purchasers, is the fact, that there is upon the premises an excellent well of water. Taken altogether, it is one of the most desirious residences in the town.

Lot No. 2. This lot is situated on Main street, opposite the residence of Mr. A. L. Jones; has upon it a new two story dwelling 31 by 32, with all necessary out buildings. The lot is in good repair—contains half an acre of land, and has upon it an excellent well of water.

Lot No. 3. This is a vacant lot, containing half an acre, adjoining lot No. 2. It is a desirable lot for building purposes.

Lot No. 4. This lot is situated between the Leigh House and the Farmer's Bank, and has upon it a fine brick building, just completed.—The building is two stories high—31 by 27—is used for offices, and pays an annual rent of $300.

Lot No. 5. Is situated on Water street, between the Stores of Jno. J Grandy, Esq., and John Williams. It has upon it a good two story store, 25 by 50, and is finished in the neatest and best style. It is an excellent stand for business, and pays an annual rent of $225.

Lot No. 6. Is a wharf lot directly opposite Lot No. 5. It has upon it a large two story ware house, 25 by 50, just completed. The wharf fronts ninety two feet on Pasquotank river. The wharf including the ware house rents for $300 per annum.

Lot No. 7. Is the Ship Yard formerly owned by Elisha S Nash; adjoining the Ship Yard of W. F. Martin, Esq. It has upon it all necessary buildings and fixtures for Ship building purposes. It is at present unoccupied; immediate possession could therefore be given. The subscriber owns but one half of this lot; the other half being owned by James M. Whedbee, Esq. Mr. Whedbee authorized the subscriber to say that he will join him in the sale of the whole lot.

SEVERAL UNIMPROVED LOTS. The subscriber has also twelve vacant lots containing half acre each, very desirable for building purposes.—They are situated in a pleasant part of the town, near Lot No. 1.

A SMALL FARM. The subscriber will also sell one undivided half of a small farm in the lower part of Pasquotank county, adjoining the lands of E. M. Stanton, Esq., and others, containing seventy acres, more or less. This land is in a good state of improvement, and produces well.

WOOD LAND AND SWAMP. He will also sell one undivided half of a large body of wood land and swamp in the upper part of Pasquotank County, containing twenty seven hundred acres. This land can be easily drained, and with little expense can be made a very valuable farm.

TERMS.

The subscriber will sell any one or more of the above lots at a low price—one third cash, and the balance in equal instalments of one, two, and three years interest from date.

JAMES W. HINTON.
June 21st, 1859. 43—tf

NEW STORE IN ELIZABETH CITY.

I Respectfully inform the Citizens of Elizabeth City and surrounding country, that I have opened, at the Store lately occupied by J. J. Grandy, Esq., on Water Street, a new and beautiful

STOCK OF GOODS.

My stock consists of Dry Goods, Clothing, and Fancy Goods, comprising all the latest styles in those branches, which I offer to the public generally at low rates.

THE LADIES

are respectfully invited to examine my stock. I have Dress Goods, Bonnets, Gaiters; in a word, every article wanted by ladies, and to be found in any Store in the City, can be bought of me.

THE GENTLEMEN

of the Town and County will find, upon examining my Goods, that I have, for them, an elegant assortment of Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, &c., &c. My assortment is very complete.

I have made such arrangements with Northern houses as to receive the latest styles of Goods as soon as they come out. I solicit the patronage of all who are in want of Goods

S. FRANK.
E. City, June 7th, 1859.—1y.

DR. JOHN H. POOL,

HAVING permanently located at Newland, Pasquotank County, tenders his

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
TO THE PUBLIC.

He can be found at the residence of WILSON SPENCE, Esq., except when engaged professionally elsewhere.
April 19, 1859—tf.

NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF NIXON & STOKES is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

William Nixon is authorized to settle the business of the co-partnership.

WM. NIXON,
C. R. STOKES.
Union Hall, October 13, 1858. 11—tf

THE OLD NORTH STATE, FOREVER.

LOOK HERE, FRIENDS AND FELLOW-Citizens, will you buy the noble STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA? If so, send to the subscribers, or subscribe to the County Agent, for this

New, Large and Magnificent Map,

And you will get the whole State, with her Rivers, Railroads, Gold, Copper, Lead Iron and Coal Mines, and all the Cities, Towns and Villages, her noble Mountains and Springs, and her Fields and Flowers.

If you want this GOLDEN PRIZE, now is the time. Map seven feet by five. Border views of the State House, Insane Asylum, Chapel Hill, Male and Female Colleges, &c., &c., one of the *cheapest* and *best* Maps ever published.

PEARCE & BEST,
Hillsboro', N. C.

AGENTS WANTED for Every County in the State. Terms liberal. Apply as above.

☞ Editors throughout the State copying this advertisement six months, and noticing it editorially, shall be entitled to a copy of the Map.
Oct. 1859. 52—6m

OFFICE OF THE ALBEMARLE & CHESAPEAKE CANAL COMPANY,

OCTOBER 4th, 1859.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE Annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at their Office in the City of Norfolk on Thursday, 3d November next, at 11 A. M.

MARSHALL PARKS, *President.*
Norfolk, Va., Oct. 18th, 1859. 52—2t

THE SEABOARD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY WILL HOLD THEIR FIFTH ANNUAL FAIR

UPON THEIR GROUNDS near Norfolk, Va., during the second week in November next, opening on the 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th.

Arrangements will be made with various Railroad and steamboat Companies to bring stock and all other articles intended for exhibition

FREE OF CHARGE.

The Executive Committee of the Seaboard Agricultural Society have determined that every facility at their command shall be afforded for the convenience and accommodation of the exhibitors and visitors who patronize this Fair

The SCHEDULE OF PREMIUMS, in pamphlet form, is now ready for distribution, and may be found at the Book Stores and at the Merchants' and Mechanics' Exchange rooms in this city.

GEO. W. CAMP,
Recording Secretary, Norfolk, Va.
Oct. 18th, 1859. 52—4t

For Sale, Lease or Rent.

The large and commodious building in E City, known as the "City Hotel." Possession given on the first of January, 1860.

For terms, &c., apply to.

G. A. WILLIAMS.
Elizabeth. City, N C, Nov. 3 1859. 3—tf

REAL ESTATE AND STOCK OF GOODS FOR SALE.

THE subscriber intending to leave the State, offers for sale all of his real estate in Elizabeth City, consisting of the residence, now occupied by himself on ——— street, which is large and in good repair, and has attached all the necessary out houses, stables, carriage house, fruit and vegetable garden, and a clover lot.

ALSO

One lot and dwelling adjacent now occupied by the Rev. Mr. Stanly; the dwelling and out houses are all new, and in good order, and suitable for a large family—garden and clover lot attached.

ALSO

Two smaller houses in a thorough state of repair, on ——— street, opposite the residence of C. C. Green, Esq.

ALSO

The handsome two story brick store recently erected near the water at the foot of Main street, and now occupied by the subscriber. This store fronts 27 feet on Water street, and runs back to the river 75 feet; there is a good wharf belonging to the store, also a lot adjacent, fronting on the water, and runs back 150 feet to the river.

The above property will be disposed of upon reasonable terms, if early application be made.

The stock of goods now on hand is also offered at cost for cash.

It is necessary that all persons indebted to me shall come forward and settle their accounts, previous to the 1st of November.

T. D. KNOX.
June 21st 1859. No. 43—tf.

DR. L. K. SAUNDERS

Will promptly attend to any professional business, entrusted to him, during the season at Nag's Head.

He has with him, a large supply of Medicine; and may be found at his residence (known as the "Bateman House") at all times, when not professionally engaged.

July 12th, 1859. 46—4t

DRY GOODS AT HALF PRICE AT THE BEE HIVE.

Dry goods at half price, at the Bee Hive.

Tremendous sacrifice in Dry Goods at the Bee Hive.

The Greatest bargains ever offered in Dry Goods, at the Bee Hive.

The Bee Hive is No 57 Main street.

The Bee Hive is under Johnson's Hall.

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TIN WARE WHOLESALE—We have now on hand and manufacturing daily a large assortment of Tin Ware manufactured by good workmen and warranted, will be sold as low as can be bought North.

feb 17 WM. D. ROBERTS, Jr. & Co.

SCHMITT & SELDNER,

IMPORTERS AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
WINES, LIQUORS,
Leaf and Chewing Tobacco, &c.
Manufacturers of Segars.
No's. 11 & 13 Wide Water Steet,
NORFOLK, VA.

June 7th, 1859.

FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale his present residence, pleasantly located, and fitted up with as many conveniences as any place of its size in the Town. If not sold by the 1st November, it will then be offered for rent. Possession given 1st January, 1860, or earlier if desired Apply to

L. D. STARKE.
Oct. 18th, 1859 52—3t

ROBES AND ORGANDIES—BY THE YARD—A reduction of 25 per cent. on our large assortment of Organdies by the yard and in Robes.

Berage Robes and Challeys, at a great bargain.

60 pieces new styles fast colored Lawns, at 12½ cts., worth 25 cts.

The Bee Hive is 37 Main street, under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk, Va. ja 13

NOTICE.

LIVERY STABLES.

I RETURN my sincere thanks to my friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to me, and ask a continuance of the same. I shall always keep on hand fine horses, vehicles, &c., for hire, and also board horses either by the single meal, week, month, or year.

It will be my pleasure to accommodate and oblige those who may favor me with their patronage, and therefore will always be prepared to furnish good horses and vehicles.

☞ Stables, on Road Street, nearly opposite the old Bank.

CHAS. B. BROTHERS.
E. City, July 14, 1857.—tf.

A CARD.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERTOFORE EXisting between J. F. Lee and Wm. T. Hinton having been dissolved by mutual consent, the subscriber will in future conduct the business of the LEIGH HOUSE in his own name. He will assure the visitor to the Leigh House that every attention shall be given to his wishes and his comfort; and if a table supplied with the best the market affords, attentive servants, and large cleanly, and well furnished rooms, can be any inducement for travelers to make it their home, they may rest satisfied of always finding them whilst the Leigh House is under his direction.

Thankful for past favors he hopes by constant exertion to merit an increase of the public patronage.

feb 22 J. F. LEE, PROPRIETOR.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day formed a Co-partnership, under the style and firm of DELK & LINDSEY, for the purpose of conducting a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS. We most respectfully solicit your patronage; pledging ourselves to prompt and faithful attention to all business committed to our care.

The experience of Mr. Delk, in the business for the past thirteen years, gives our firm all the advantages of a thorough knowledge of the Commission business.

We are prepared to grant the usual facilities to our friends.

EDWIN H. DELK,
Late of Hardy & Delk.
EDMUND C. LINDSEY,
Late of Currituck Co. N. C.
Norfolk, Va., Aug. 19th, 1856. 1y

FOR RENT FOR THE YEAR 1859.

THE NEW TWO STORY DWELLING near the Baptist Church, opposite the residence of A. L. Jones, Esq.

Also, the large new BRICK WAREHOUSE, with the wharf attached, between the stores of T. D. Knox and J. J. Grandy, Esqs. Apply to no 9 JAMES W. HINTON.

NOTICE.

MASTERS of vessels, and others, are notified that the Steamer "Roanoke" will be in nowise liable for damages that may occur to vessels under tow. Vessels are towed at their own risk, and not at the risk of the Steamer Those desiring their vessels to be towed will please observe this.

GEO. HOBBS,
Master Steamer Roanoke.
ja 25—tf W. H. CLARK, Ag't.

W. M. MILLAR,

NO. 11 MARKET SQUARE,
NORFOLK, VA.,
HAS NOW READY FOR EXHIBITION A NEW,
COMPLETE AND
CHEAP
STOCK OF SPRING AND SUMMER DRY GOODS,
which he offers at the
LOWEST PRICES FOR CASH!

Doing an exclusive, *Cash Business*, we work for *Small Profits*. Persons from a distance who do not find it convenient to visit our city often, can have their orders put up in the best manner.

PLEASE TRY US. MILLAR'S
Cash Bargain Store, Market Square,
ap 27 Norfolk, Va.

REMOVAL.—J. M. MATHEWS' CLOCK,

Watch and Jewelry Store has been removed to the new building near the corner of Main and Road streets, third door South of the Leigh House, and opposite the law office of J. L. Ball, Esq. ja 18

AYER'S PILLS,

A NEW and singularly successful remedy for the cure of all Bilious diseases — Costiveness, Indigestion, Jaundice, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Fevers, Gout, Humors, Nervousness, Irritability, Inflammations, Headache, Pains in the Breast, Side, Back, and Limbs, Female Complaints, &c. &c. Indeed, very few are the diseases in which a Purgative Medicine is not more or less required, and much sickness and suffering might be prevented, if a harmless but effectual Cathartic were more freely used. No person can feel well while a costive habit of body prevails; besides it soon generates serious and often fatal diseases, which might have been avoided by the timely and judicious use of a good purgative. This is alike true of Colds, Feverish symptoms, and Bilious derangements. They all tend to become or produce the deep seated and formidable distempers which load the hearses all over the land. Hence a reliable family physic is of the first importance to the public health, and this PILL has been perfected with consummate skill to meet that demand. An extensive trial of its virtues by Physicians, Professors, and Patients, has shown results surpassing any thing hitherto known of any medicine. Cures have been effected beyond belief, were they not substantiated by persons of such exalted position and character as to forbid the suspicion of untruth.

Among the many eminent gentlemen who have testified in favor of these Pills, we may mention:

DR. A. A. HAYES, Analytical Chemist, of Boston, and State Assayer of Massachusetts, whose high professional character is endorsed by the

HON. EDWARD EVERETT, Senator of the U. S.
ROBERT C. WINTHROP, Ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives.
ABBOTT LAWRENCE, Minister Plen. to England.
† JOHN B. FITZPATRICK, Cath. Bishop of Boston.
Also, DR. J. R. CHILTON, Practical Chemist, of New York City, endorsed by
HON. W. L. MARCY, Secretary of State.
WM. B. ASTOR, the richest man in America
S. LELAND & Co., Propr's of the Metropolitan Hotel, and others.

Did space permit, we could give many hundred certificates, from all parts where the Pills have been used, but evidence even more convincing than the experience of eminent public men is found in their effects upon trial.

These Pills, the result of long investigation and study, are offered to the public as the best and most complete which the present state of medical science can afford. They are compounded not of the drugs themselves, but of the medicinal virtues only of Vegetable remedies, extracted by chemical process in a state of purity, and combined together in such a manner as to insure the best results. This system of composition for medicines has been found in the Cherry Pectoral and Pills both, to produce a more efficient remedy than had hitherto been obtained by any process. The reason is perfectly obvious. While by the old mode of composition, every medicine is burdened with more or less of acrimonious and injurious qualities, by this individual virtue only that is desired for the curative effect is present. All the inert and obnoxious qualities of each substance employed are left behind, the curative virtues only being retained. Hence it is self-evident the effects should prove as they have proved more purely remedial, and the Pills a surer, more powerful antidote to disease than any other medicine known to the world.

As it is frequently expedient that my medicine should be taken under the counsel of an attending Physician, and as he could not properly judge of a remedy without knowing its composition, I have supplied the accurate Formulæ by which both my Pectoral and Pills are made to the whole body of Practitioners in the United States and British American Provinces. If, however, there should be any one who has not received them, they will be promptly forwarded by mail to his address.

Of all the Patent Medicines that are offered, how few would be taken if their composition was known! Their life consists in their mystery. I have no mysteries.

The composition of my preparations is laid open to all men, and all who are competent to judge on the subject freely acknowledge their convictions of their intrinsic merits. The Cherry Pectoral was pronounced by scientific men to be a wonderful medicine before its effects were known. Many eminent Physicians have declared the same thing of my Pills, and even more confidently, and are willing to certify that their anticipations were more than realized by their effects upon trial.

They operate by their powerful influence on the internal viscera to purify the blood and stimulate it into healthy action—remove the obstructions of the stomach, bowels, liver, and other organs of the body, restoring their irregular action to health, and by correcting, wherever they exist, such derangements as are the first origin of disease.

Being sugar wrapped they are pleasant to take, and being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity.

For minute directions, see wrapper on the Box

PREPARED BY
JAMES C. AYER,
Practical and Analytical Chemist,
LOWELL, MASS.

Price 40 cents per Box. Five Boxes for $1.

NOTICE.—The undersigned has just received from New York, a large assortment of well selected furniture, which he will be glad to sell at very reasonable prices, and respectfully announces to all purchasers in this and the adjoining counties, that all furniture sold by him shall be safely delivered at the purchasers house free of charge.

He has a large lot of METALIC BURIAL CASES, of all sizes, which he will deliver at a few hours notice at any part of this or the adjoining counties.

All kinds of furniture made to order at a reasonable notice.

J. E. WHITE, AGENT.
Hertford, N. C., October 25, 1859. 1—16

HOUSEKEEPERS, TAKE NOTICE.

NOW is the time, and ROBERTS & CO. S is the place, to buy one of the XL all va tilated Refrigerators,

Improved Water Coolers,
Patent and plain Ice Cream Freezers,
Tin Safes, Summer Furnaces,
Patent Fruit Jars,
Ice Pitchers, New World Cook Stoves,
Kerosene Lamps, Fluid Lamps of all kinds,
Niagara Jet Shower Bath, Sitz Baths, Bathing Tubs,
Tin and Japaned Ware of all kinds,
Agricultural Boilers, &c.

All of which we offer at extremely low rates.
Norfolk, Va., June 29.

"ECONOMY, HEALTH, AND LUXURY."

OLD DOMINION COFFEE POTS.

IF you want good Coffee—that is, Coffee well boiled, yet not deprived of its aromo—you are now offered the means of securing that luxury, a desideratum long sought, never before attained. All sizes from 2 to 6 quarts.—For sale by WM. D. ROBERTS, Jr. & CO., Norfolk, Va.
jan 11

NOTICE.—INTENDING TO RESIGN the office of Constable, at the next Term of the county court, December, all persons having claims in my hands for collection, or holding my receipts, are requested to come forward between this and the above named term, and settle for the same, as this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

THOMAS. J. MURDEN.
E. City, N. C., Nov. 1, 1859. 2—tf

WOOD, COAL, LIME, HAY, LUMBER, &c.—The Subscriber having rented the stand recently occupied by W. G. Lamb, Esq., would respectfully inform the citizens of E. City, and surrounding country, that he intends keeping constantly on hand a good lot of the above articles. He also has a large and commodious Ware House suitable for storing goods, and to the Captains he would say, he has a good Wharf for the landing of any articles that may be brought to this place.

All orders for any article in my line will meet with prompt attention. My Terms will be strictly cash in advance.

JOHN M. HINTON, Ag't.
E. City, Oct. 25th, 1859. 1—tf

MARBLE WORKS,

CORNER OF GRANBY & MAIN STREETS, AND IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE POST OFFICE,
NORFOLK, VA.

THE SUBSCRIBER MANUFACTURES TO order and has constantly on hand, a large and superior assortment of *Italian* and *American* Marble

MONUMENTS,
TOMBS,
HEAD PIECES, &c.,

which he offers at such prices as cannot fail to give satisfaction. ☞ Carving and every description of Lettering neatly executed.

Marble, Granite, Coping, Curbing, Flagstones, &c., furnished for building and other purposes. Satisfaction guarantied in every particular.

. Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

JNO. D. COUPER.
April 27, 1858—1y.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS OPENED A DEPOT at

No. 7,
EAST WATER STREET,

for the sale of the FARMING IMPLEMENTS, Manufactured at his works.

He will keep a good assortment of
Plows,
Harrows,
Cultivators,
Corn & Cotton Weeders,
Corn Shellers,
Corn Crushers,
Read Scrapers,

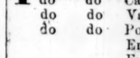
and all other Implements needed on the Farm.

Orders solicited for CARTS, WAGGONS, DRAYS and WHEELS.

Repairing done promptly and faithfully.

I earnestly desire all indebted to me, to call and settle. S. MARCH.
March 1—1t.

REMOVAL.



W. GEORGE SARTORIUS would seize this opportunity to express his most grateful acknowledgments to his friends and the public generally for the kind liberality that has characterized their intercourse with him in his business-line. Having lately removed to that old stand, formerly occupied by Col. Cook, dec., and recently by Mr. J. M. Mathews, it will be his unceasing aim to rise more and more in favor with the people by repairing their WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY in a manner as to give satisfaction.

Elizabeth City, February 1st, 1859. 23—tf

READ! READ!! READ!!!
AND REMEMBER THAT AT
W. M. MILLAR'S
CASH BARGAIN STORE,
No. 11 Market Square, Norfolk, Va.,
You can buy all the
DRY GOODS
you want at the lowest
CASH PRICES!
OUR STOCK IS
NEW AND COMPLETE,
and buyers in either large or small quantities will find it to their advantage to examine our goods.

☞ Remember
MILLAR'S CASH BARGAIN STORE,
No. 11 Market Square,
de 7 next to Seabury's Shoe Store.

GRAND OPENING AT THE BEE HIVE.

IN Beautiful *De Laines*,
do do Cashmeres,
do do Valancies,
do do Poplins,
English and French Merinoes
Figured French Merinoes,
Debages,
Alpacaes,
Canton Cloths, &c., &c., &c.,
Silks.—Black and Colored Silks at a great bargain.
Embroideries—The largest assortment of Embroideries ever seen in Norfolk, and at awful low prices.
Domestic Goods of all kinds and qualities.
The BEE HIVE is 57 Main Street, under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk, Va.
oc 26 JAMES SMITH, Proprietor.

SHAWLS, SHAWLS, SHAWLS.

OPENED this day at the Bee Hive, a splendid assortment of Black Center Shawls.
Black Shawls with Plush Borders.
Black Shawls with Broched Borders.
Black Shawls with Cheniel Borders.
Black Shawls with Moriantique Border.
Black Shawls, at the Bee Hive,
Black Shawls with Gay Borders at the *BEE HIVE.*
Colored Shawls in all colors and prices.

CLOAKS.

1000 Cloaks just opened at great bargains,
Silk Robes in great variety,
Plaid Silks Byader Stripes,
Black Silks, the largest assortment in the State.
The BEE HIVE is under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk, Va. no 23

Reynoldson Hotel,

THOMAS MARTIN, PROPRIETOR

THE PROPRIETOR, HAVING TAKEN charge of this commodious and well constructed BOARDING HOUSE, will devote his whole attention to the ACCOMMODATION OF STUDENTS in REYNOLDSON SEMINARY, which is now in successful operation under Mr. J. D. BOUSHALL. The sole design of the PROPRIETOR is to *aid in reviving the school*, and hence no pains or expense will be spared to render the STUDENTS COMFORTABLE.

The HOUSE will be well governed—being under the joint control of PROPRIETOR and TEACHER, and well attended to by servants and Mrs. MARTIN. Board $9.00 per month.

Reynoldson, Gates Co., N. C., Jan. 19, 1859.
ja 25 22—3t.

TIN AND JAPANNED WARE.

WILLIAM D. ROBERTS, JR. & Co., Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va., ask the attention of merchants of North Carolina and Virginia, to their large and well selected stock of Tin and Japanned Ware, manufactured expressly for the Southern trade, which will be sold on as reasonable terms as similar goods can be purchased in northern or eastern cities, and better suited to the wants of the Southern public.

Also STOVES of all kinds for all purposes, Force, Deep Well and Cistern Pumps, Sheet Lead, Zinc, Copper, Bar, Sheet Iron, brass, &c.

Etherial Oil and Lamps of all kinds for using it. ja 23

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—THE copartnership of the firm of MORGAN & REID was dissolved on the first day of January, 1859, by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm will make payment to Seth Morgan, who is alone authorized to receipt for the same.

SETH MORGAN,
W. B. REID.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to state that, having taken the entire interest of W. B. Reid in the late firm of Morgan & Reid, he will carry on the business on his own account—hoping by strict attention to share a portion of the patronage heretofore extended to him at the old stand.

SETH MORGAN.
January 1 20—tf

FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER has for sale two 20 horse power *STEAM ENGINES*, nearly new, and well adapted for steamboat or saw mill purposes. Also, the Steamer VIRGINIA and Barge AERIAL. They will be sold upon reasonable terms. Apply to

J. B. JOHNSON.
Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. JOHNSON will be at the Leigh House, Elizabeth City, for a few days, where he can be seen by any one wishing to purchase.
December 14, 1858. 17—tf.

THE BEE HIVE

Is No. 57 Main street, Norfolk.

A MAGNIFICENT assortment of Dress Goods Just opened in
Magnificent Challeys, Silks, Valencias
Poplins, Delaines, all Wool Delaines, new styles
French Prints, Round lace Veils at less than the usual price
Embroideries in great variety at reduced prices
The BEE HIVE is under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk.
fe 22 JAMES SMITH.

"TIN WARE."

WE WOULD SAY TO OUR CUSTOMERS and the public that we have on hand and are manufacturing the largest and best stock of Tin and Japanned Ware ever before exhibited in this market. Country merchants and others will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

WM. D. ROBERTS, JR. & CO.,
se 28 Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va.

RICHMOND POTTERY.—SHERWOOD & YOUNG, Agents, have on hand a large assortment of Jars, Jugs, Churns, Butter Pans, Oyster Jars, Spittoons, Pitchers, &c., for sale at factory price. Liberal discount allowed on sums over Ten dollars.

In connection with the above, we are prepared to furnish ½ and ¼ gallon Jars, made expressly for fruits, with corks fitted to each. The attention of persons dealing in preserved fruits if called to them. Samples can be seen at our Store, No. 14 Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va.

LAW BOOKS! LAW BOOKS!!

THE attention of Lawyers is called to the following list of VALUABLE LAW BOOKS, which are offered for sale exactly at the publisher's prices.

Reports of Decisions in the Supreme Court of the United States, with notes, and a digest, by Judge B. R. Curtis, 22 vols., $66.
Commentaries on Equity Jurisprudence, as administered in England and America, by Joseph Story, 2 vols., $11,
Story on Bills of Exchange, $5 50c,
Story on Agency, $5,
Parsons on Contracts, 2 vols., $11,
Phillips on Insurance, 2 vols., $10,
Story on Sales, $4 50c,
Daniels Chancery Pleading and Practice, 3 vols $12,
Parsons Mercantile Law, $5 50c,
Story on Bailments, $5,
Wheaton's International Law, $6,
Story on Conflict of Laws, $6 50c,
Walker's American Law, $5 50c,
Story's Equity Pleadings, $6,
Drake on Attachment, $4 50c,
Story on the Constitution, 2 vols., $7 50c,
Precedents of Indictments and Special Pleas, by Chas. R. Train and F. F. Herd, $4,
Story on Partnership, $5 50c,
Digest of the General Laws of the United States, with reference to the Acts repealed, supplied, or modified, &c., &c., by James Dunlop, $6 50
Story on Promissory Notes, $5 50c,
Bishop on Marriage and Divorce, $5,
Thornton on Conveyancing, 2nd edition, $4 50
Taylor's Landlord and Tenant, $4 50,
Story on Bailments, $5,
Bishop on Criminal Law, $5,
Angell on the Law of Carriers, $5 50c,
Greenleaf on Evidence, 3 vols., $16 50c,
Angell and Ames on Corporations, $5 50c,
Hening and Munford's Reports, 4 vols., $20,
Tucker's Commentaries on the Laws of Virginia, $6,
Tates Analytical and Digested Index, 2 vols, $8
Hall's Digested Index to the Virginia Reports, $3,
Decisions of Cases in Virginia, by the High Court of Chancery, by Geo. Wythe, new edition, $4 50,
Sand's Suit in Equity, $4,
Mathews' Guide, $2 75c,
Tates' Form Book, new edition, by Sands, $1 25

The above with many other valuable works are for sale by

W. P. GRIFFITH.
feb 3 Norfolk, Va.

NOTICE.

I RESPECTFULLY inform the Citizens of E. City, and surrounding country, that I have opened a *New Store* at J. J. Grandy's Stand where I solicit the patronage of all who are in want of goods. I have just opened my stock of Dry Goods, Clothing and fancy goods comprising all the latest styles of Goods, in those branches which I offer to the public generally, at unusual low rates. I have made such arrangements with Northern houses as to receive the latest style of goods as soon as they come out, in invite the attention of Ladies and Gentlemen to my stock with the request to call and examine for themselves. I RANK.

April 5th, 1859. 32—tf

READ, READ.

I take great pleasure in informing my friends and the public generally though my store has been consumed by fire, yet I will be prepared to furnish them with any article as heretofore in a day or so. And I still most respectfully solicit a continuance of your patronage. Loam to be found for the present next door to Barney Tisdale.

DR. JAS. N. BUTT.
July 12th, 1859.

CARPET, OIL-CLOTH, CURTAIN AND PAPER-HANGING WARE-ROOMS,

NO. 25, MAIN STREET, NORFOLK, VA.

THE subscriber respectfully invites the attention of the public, to his large and handsome assortment of

VELVET,
TAPESTRY,
THREE PLY,
INGRAIN AND
COMMON CARPETS,
RUGGETS,
RUGS,
DOOR MATS, &c.,
FURNITURE AND
FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.
—ALSO—

Satin De Laines, Wersted, Damask, Lace and Muslin Curtains, Colo'd. Velvet and Common Window Shades, Gilt Cornices, Curtain Bands, Tassels, Loops, &c.

All of which, together with a complete assortment of Gilts, Velvet, Satin and Common Papers, Borders, Fire Screens and Curtain Papers, he offers at the lowest prices.

WM. A. WALTERS,
Upholsterer and Paper Hanger,
dec 2 No. 26. Main street.

P. S.—Persons living out of the city, can have their Carpets cut and made to fit, by furnishing us with a plat of their rooms W. A. W.

JOB WORK.

WE ARE PREPARED TO EXECUTE ALL orders for any kind of

PLAIN AND FANCY JOB PRINTING,

that may be wanted in Pasquotank and the surrounding counties, on as

REASONABLE TERMS

as it can be done at any similar establishment in this section of North Carolina.

HAND-BILLS,	CARDS,
BILLS OF LADING,	BLANKS.
POSTERS,	BILL HEADS,
WAY-BILLS,	CHECKS,
BALL TICKETS,	CIRCULARS, &c.,

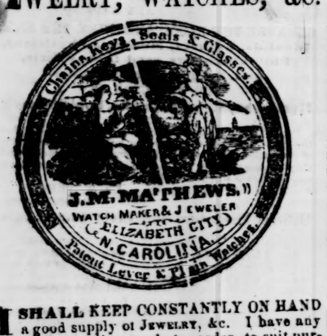
Done with Neatness and Despatch.

Any work handed to us will be done immediately, and in good style; and we hope that all our friends in need of anything that we can do, will give us a call.

☞ Work done for persons in other places will be sent by mail, if desired.

. For Jobs or Blanks, address or call on
J. B. GODWIN & CO.,

JEWELRY, WATCHES, &c.



I SHALL KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND a good supply of JEWELRY, &c. I have any article in my line made to order, to suit purchasers; do all WATCH, CLOCK AND JEWELRY repairs with promptness and accuracy; tune and repair MUSICAL BOXES, ACCORDEONS, &c., and can do all work in my business on the most reasonable terms.

I require the cash for all work, or sales on delivery of the article. *Any* persons asking credit *must* be refused, as I will not break this rule, while doing business as agent. The highest cash price allowed for old gold and silver.

J. M. MATHEWS, Ag't.

☞ Sign of the big watch. je 8

Norfolk Steam Ornamental, Wrought and Cast Iron Rail Works,

NO. 11 WIDE WATER STREET.

THIS establishment is now under successful operation, the proprietor having erected new buildings for the manufacture of the above work, with the most modern improvements in machinery for facilitating and perfecting the manufacture of

IRON RAILINGS

for Cemeteries, Fronts of Houses, Garden Enclosures, Balconies, &c. Having on hand the greatest variety of *new* and *elegant* patterns, adapted to every taste.

We respectfully solicit our Carolina friends to send us their orders instead of sending them to the North. We pledge ourselves to execute them with neatness and dispatch, and as low as any other establishment, North or South.

SAM. H. HODGES & CO.

Norfolk, Va., April 13, 1858—1y.

BOOK BINDERY AND BLANK

BOOK MANUFACTORY.

VICKERY & COMPANY

WOULD INFORM THE CITizens of Elizabeth City and surrounding country, that their Book Bindery is in full operation, and they are prepared to manufacture

BLANK BOOKS

of every description of Binding and style of Ruling; and to bind Magazines, Music, and printed Books of every kind in the best manner, and on as reasonable terms as any establishment in the United States.

Merchants, Clerks of Courts and Bank officers, will find it greatly to their advantage to have their Blank Books made at our establishment, as no pains will be spared to give perfect satisfaction both as regards quality and price.

VICKERY & COMPANY,
Booksellers, Stationers, Book Binders and Blank Book Manufacturers,
No. 19, Main Street, head of Market Square,
ja 2 Norfolk, Va.

ROSCIUS.

A FOUR YEAR OLD DEVON BULL, BLOOD Red, weighing 1800 pounds, and perfect in form, will stand at the Farm of the subscriber at the low price of Ten Dollars the season. Roscius took the First Premium at the Connecticut State Fair; at the New York State Fair; and at the Late Maryland State Fair. He is the largest animal of the kind ever introduced into this Country, and is of the pure Devon Stock. I would particularly invite all feeling an interest in the improvement of Stock, to call and see for themselves. For pedigree, examine the English Herds book. Pasturage Free, but no responsibility for escapes.

WILL. H. DAVIS.

Newbegun Creek, N. C., Dec. 1, 1857—tf.

IMMENSE BARGAINS AT THE BEE HIVE.

MANTILLAS, Berege and Granadine, Shawls, Calico and Linen Dusters.

All the Wrappings on hand must be sold at some price or other as the season is far advanced. Now is the time to get a Wrapping at less than h. If the usual price.

Summer Silks marked at very low figures.

Berege Robes, Organdies and Granadines at great bargains.

Embroideries for the Million at a tremendous sacrifice in Setts, Collars, Gloves, Swiss Cambric Edgings and Insertings, Bands, &c.

The Bee Hive is 57 Main street, under Johnson's Hall.

JAMES SMITH, Proprietor.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. W. R. SPRUILL WOULD MOST respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has now PERMANENTLY located himself in Pasquotank county, near Salem, and within a short distance of his old stand, where he can at all times be found, day or night, when not called away by professional business.

He takes this method of returning his thanks for the very liberal patronage extended to him since his residence in the county; and assure those who may in future require his services that their calls shall be promptly answered, and the utmost care and attention given. A continuance of patronage solicited.

June 22, 1858. 46-tf.

LEIGH HOUSE,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

CORNER OF ROAD AND MARKET STS.

THE Undersigned being sole Proprietor of this large and commodious house, respectfully solicits the patronage of the public. No pains will be spared on his part to give entire satisfaction to his guests. His TABLE shall be supplied with the best the *Market* affords. His rooms are large, well ventillated and neatly furnished, and his Servants are polite and accommodating.

THE BAR

attached to the Hotel will be constantly supplied with the choicest Liquors and Cigars.

THE STABLES

belonging to the Hotel shall be well attended to. In a word, the entire arrangements of the Hotel are complete.

JAMES F. LEE, PROPRIETOR.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE Estate of Peter Copes, dec'd., are hereby notified to make immediate payment, or their bills will be placed in the hands of the proper officer for collection; and all persons having claims against the estate of said dec'd, to present the same for payment, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

W. W. KENNEDY, Ex'r.

Sept. 28, 1858. o—tf.

NOTICE.

PERSONS wishing to rent my Store at Nag's Head, can after [illegible] me at Norfolk, Va. And I will give them the terms.

W. B. VARSER

May 24, 1859.—tf.

HOME AGAIN.—The undersigned returns his thanks to his friends and customers for past favors, and hopes by strict attention to merit a continuance of the same.

W. H. CLARK.

E. City, May 3rd, 1859.

JUST OPENED [illegible] bales of [illegible] 6¼ cts. per yd. very heavy goods, worth 10 cts.

Norfolk, June 8, 1858.

CARPET, OIL-CLOTH,
CURTAIN AND PAPER-HANGING
WARE-ROOMS,

NO. 25, MAIN STREET, NORFOLK, VA.

THE subscriber respectfully invites the attention of the public, to his large and handsome assortment of

VELVET,
TAPESTRY,
THREE PLY,
INGRAIN AND
COMMON CARPETS,
RUGGETS,
RUGS,
DOOR MATS, &c.,
FURNITURE AND
FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.

—ALSO—

Satin De Laines, Worsted, Damask, Lace and Muslin Curtains, Col'd. Velvet and Common Window Shades, Gilt Cornices, Curtain Bands, Tassels, Loops, &c.

All of which, together with a complete assortment of Gilts, Velvet, Satin and Common Papers, Borders, Fire Screens and Curtain Papers, he offers at the lowest prices.

WM. A. WALTERS,
Upholsterer and Paper Hanger,
dec 2 No. 26, Main street.

P. S.—Persons living out of the city, can have their Carpets cut and made to fit, by furnishing us with a plat of their rooms. W. A. W.

JOB WORK.

WE ARE PREPARED TO EXECUTE ALL orders for any kind of

PLAIN AND FANCY JOB PRINTING,

that may be wanted in Pasquotank and the surrounding counties, on as

REASONABLE TERMS

as it can be done at any similar establishment

In this section of North Carolina.

HAND-BILLS,	CARDS,
BILLS OF LADING,	BLANKS,
POSTERS,	BILL HEADS,
WAY-BILLS,	CHECKS,
BALL TICKETS,	CIRCULARS, &c.,

Done with Neatness and Despatch.

Any work handed to us will be done immediately, and in good style; and we hope that all our friends in need of anything that we can do, will give us a call.

☞ WORK done for persons in other places will be sent by mail, if desired.

*** For Jobs or Blanks, address or call on

J. B. GODWIN & CO.,
Corner of Main and Road Streets,
Elizabeth City, N. C.

P. S.—All orders from persons out of this county, must be accompanied by the cash, together with 9 cts. for every quire of blanks ordered, if to be sent by mail.

March 23, 1858. J. B. G. & CO.

REMOVAL.

T. PARR HAVING REMOVED FROM his "old stand" to the front shop of the Coach establishment of Arthur L. Jones, respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he is prepared to manufacture any and every article of

FURNITURE.

He will also keep on hand a large assortment of

METALLIC COFFINS,

of all sizes. He will also furnish Mahogany, Walnut or other Coffins to order.

Having a good **HEARSE,** he is prepared to carry on the UNDERTAKING business in all its branches.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same. T. PARR.

Sept. 1, 1857—1y

DR. WM. G. HANCOCK,

DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY,
EDENTON, N. C.
DEALER IN

Paints, Oils,
Glass, Putty,
Perfumery,
Fancy Articles,
Smoking and
Chewing Tobacco,
Segars and superior
Wines and Liquors for medicinal purposes

The orders of Physicians and Planters promptly filled with pure Medicines and on as moderate terms as can be had south of Mason's and Dix on's line.

☞ Dr. Hancock's office is at the Drug Store, where he can always be found except when professionally engaged.

June 9, 1857—8ms

A REQUEST.

OWING to the recent destructive fire—by which the undersigned has sustained a heavy loss, including his Store, Factory, machinery, &c.,—he is forced to *Request* of those indebted to him to come forward and make immediate payment. He knows that, under existing circumstances, a request is all that will be required.

He takes this opportunity, also, of informing his friends and patrons, that he is making arrangements to continue his factory, and will be ready to manufacture and repair all kinds of Agricultural machinery in time for the present and coming necessities of his Farming friends. Due notice will be given, as soon as he opens.

W. H. CLARK.

E. City, March 30, 1858.

Sign of the Circular Saw.

ALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS

HEAD OF MARKET SQUARE.

ARE OPENING their importation, *Birmingham manufactury,* a beautiful assortment of House Keeping Articles, such as

Coffee and Tea Pots, Octagon style,
Patent Coffee Pots with Steamers, Chafing Dishes,
Waiters in sets and dozens, Sauce Pans,
Porcelain lined Planished Covers,
Old English style Grid Irons, fluted bars,
All Brass Fenders, Polished Steel Shovel and Tongs, in setts or pairs,
Tin lined Copper Tea Kettles.

HEAVY GOODS.

Trace, Log and Back Band Chains,
Elwell's Weeding, Hilling and Grubbing Hoes
Spades, Shovels and Forks, Cut, Wrought and Horse Shoe Nails,
Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Mill, Circular Saws
Cross Cut Saws,
Stocks and Dies, Hammers, Screw Plates.

MERCHANTS' HOTEL,
GATESVILLE, N. C.
MILLS H. EURE, Proprietor.

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD MOST respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the above Hotel, formerly kept by Thomas G. Vaughan, Esq., and he is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage. My TABLE will always be furnished with the very best that the market affords, and my servants will be found polite and attentive. The travelling public are requested to give me a call. Every possible exertion will be made to give entire satisfaction to those who may stop at my house. Very Respectfully,

MILLS H. EURE.

January 18, 1859—1y.

NORTH CAROLINA
AGRICULTURAL STORE
AND
MACHINE MANUFACTORY,
Elizabeth City, N. C.

RUSSELL'S MORDICK'S EUREKA
REAPERS! REAPERS!!
WHEAT CUTTERS,
FURNISHED TO ORDER
ALSO HORSE RAKES.

WM. H. CLARK.

May 16th, 1857—tf.

LINEN CAMBRIC Handkerchiefs at 12½ [illegible]

all we ask is [illegible] examination

MILLAR'S Cash Bargain Store,
Market Square.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS OPENED A DEpot at

No. 7,
EAST WATER STREET,

for the sale of the FARMING IMPLEMENTS, Manufactured at his works.

He will keep a good assortment of
Plows,
Harrows,
Cultivators,
Corn & Cotton Weeders,
Corn Shellers,
Corn Crushers,
Read Scrapers,

and all other Implements needed on the Farm.

Orders solicited for CARTS, WAGGONS, DRAYS and WHEELS.

Repairing done promptly and faithfully.

I earnestly desire all indebted to me, to call and settle. S. MARCH.

March 1—1t.

REMOVAL.

W. GEORGE SARTORIUS would seize this opportunity to express his most grateful acknowledgments to his friends and the public generally for the kind liberality that has characterized their intercourse with him in his business-line. Having lately removed to that old stand, formerly occupied by Col. Cook, dec., and recently by Mr. J. M. Mathews, it will be his unceasing aim to rise more and more in favor with the people by repairing their WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY in a manner as to give satisfaction.

Elizabeth City, February 1st, 1859. 23—tf

READ! READ!! READ!!!
AND REMEMBER THAT AT
W. M. MILLAR'S
CASH BARGAIN STORE,
No. 11 Market Square, Norfolk, Va.,
You can buy all the
DRY GOODS
you want at the lowest
CASH PRICES!
OUR STOCK IS
NEW AND COMPLETE,
and buyers in either large or small quantities will find it to their advantage to examine our goods.

☞ Remember
MILLAR'S CASH BARGAIN STORE,
No. 11 Market Square,
de 7 next to Seabury's Shoe Store.

GRAND OPENING AT THE BEE HIVE.

IN Beautiful *De Laines,*
do do Cashmeres,
do do Valancies,
do do Poplins,
English and French Merinoes
Figured French Merinoes,
Debages,
Alpaccas,
Canton Cloths, &c., &c., &c.,

Silks.—Black and Colored Silks at a great bargain.

Embroideries—The largest assortment of Embroideries ever seen in Norfolk, and at awful low prices.

Domestic Goods of all kinds and qualities.

The BEE HIVE is 57 Main Street, under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk, Va.

oc 26 JAMES SMITH, Proprietor.

SHAWLS, SHAWLS, SHAWLS.

OPENED this day at the Bee Hive, a splendid assortment of Black Center Shawls.
Black Shawls with Plush Borders.
Black Shawls with Broched Borders.
Black Shawls with Cheniel Borders.
Black Shawls with Moriantique Border.
Black Shawls, at the Bee Hive,
Black Shawls with Gay Borders at the
BEE HIVE.

Colored Shawls in all colors and prices.

CLOAKS.

1000 Cloaks just opened at great bargains,
Silk Robes in great variety,
Plaid Silks Byader Stripes,
Black Silks, the largest assortment in the State.

The BEE HIVE is under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk, Va. no 23

Reynoldson Hotel,
THOMAS MARTIN, PROPRIETOR.

THE PROPRIETOR, HAVING TAKEN charge of this commodious and well constructed BOARDING HOUSE, will devote his whole attention to the ACCOMMODATION OF STUDENTS in REYNOLDSON SEMINARY, which is now in successful operation under Mr. J. D. BOUSHALL. The *sole* design of the PROPRIETOR is to *aid in reviving the school,* and hence no pains or expense will be spared to render the STUDENTS COMFORTABLE.

The HOUSE will be well governed—being under the joint control of PROPRIETOR and TEACHER, and well attended to by servants and Mrs. MARTIN. Board $9.00 per month.

Reynoldson, Gates Co., N. C., Jan. 19, 1859.
ja 25 22-3t.

TIN AND JAPANNED WARE.

WILLIAM D. ROBERTS, JR. & Co., Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va., ask the attention of merchants of North Caralina and Virginia, to their large and well selected stock of Tin and Japanned Ware, manufactured expressly for the Southern trade, which will be sold on as reasonable terms as similar goods can be purchased in northern or eastern cities, and better suited to the wants of the Southern public.

Also STOVES of all kinds for all purposes, Force, Deep Well and Cistern Pumps, Sheet Lead, Zinc, Copper, Bar, Sheet Iron, brass, &c.

*E*therial Oil and Lamps of all kinds for using it. mh 23

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—THE copartnership of the firm of MORGAN & REID was dissolved on the first day of January, 1859, by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm will make payment to Seth Morgan, who is alone authorized to receipt for the same.

SETH MORGAN,
W. B. REID.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to state that, having taken the entire interest of W. B. Reid in the late firm of Morgan & Reid, he will carry on the business on his own account—hoping by strict attention to share a portion of the patronage heretofore extended to him at the old stand.

SETH MORGAN.

January 1 20-tf

FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER has for sale two 30 horse power *STEAM ENGINES,* nearly new, and well adapted for steamboat or saw mill purposes. Also, the Steamer VIRGINIA and Barge AERIAL. They will be sold upon reasonable terms. Apply to

J. B. JOHNSON,
Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. JOHNSON will be at the Leigh House, Elizabeth City, for a few days, where he can be seen by any one wishing to purchase.

December 14, 1858. 17—tf.

THE BEE HIVE
Is No. 57 Main street, Norfolk.

A MAGNIFICENT assortment of Dress Goods Just opened in
Magnificent Challeys, Silks, Valencias
Poplins, Delaines, all Wool Delaines, new styles
French Prints, Round lace Veils at less than the usual price
Embroideries in great variety at reduced prices

The Bee Hive is under Johnson's Hall, Norfolk.

fe 22 JAMES SMITH.

"TIN WARE."

WE WOULD SAY TO OUR CUSTOMERS and the public that we have on hand and are manufacturing the largest and best stock of Tin and Japanned Ware ever before exhibited in this market. Country merchants and others will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

WM. D. ROBERTS, JR & CO.,
se 28 Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va

RICHMOND POTTERY.—SHERWOOD & YOUNG, Agents, have on hand a large assortment of Jars, Jugs, Churns, Butter Pans, Oyster Jars, Spittoons, Pitchers, &c., for sale at factory price. Liberal discount allowed on sums over Ten dollars.

In connection with the above, we are prepared to [illegible] and ½ gallon Jars, made expressly for [illegible], with corks fitted to each. The attention of persons dealing in preserved fruits is called to them. Samples can be seen at our Store, No. 14 Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va.

FOR PETERSBURG RICHMOND AND LYNCHBURG.

The Virginia Springs, and all of the important Western Towns, and Cities.

THE NORFOLK & PETERSBURG RAIL ROAD

WILL issue at their Office, in Norfolk. *Through Ticket's and Baggage Check's* at the following rates of Fare:

To Petersburg	$2,40
" Richmond	3,25
" Lynchburg	7,00
" Knoxville, Tenn.	21,04
" Chattanooga	25,41
" Huntsville, Ala	29,39
" Grand Junction, Miss.	31,65
" Memphis Tenn.	32,67
" New Orleans, La.	46.53

Via Richmond and Petersburg, and the Va. Central Rail Roads:

To the Green Briver White Sulphur Springs,	$14,75
" " Sweet Springs,	13,75
" " Rock Bridge, Alum,	12,00

Via the South Side, and the Va. and Tennessee R. Roads,

To the Alleghany Springs, Shawsville Station Va., and Tenn. Rail Road	$10,55
To the Montgomery White Sulphur Springs, Big Tunnel Station, Va., and Tennessee Rail Road,	$10,84
Red Sulphur Springs, Dublin Station, Va., and Tenn. Rail Road,	$11,85

THE CITIZENS OF ELIZABETH CITY And surrounding country, will find this route by the Norfolk & Petersburg Rail Road, and its connections with other Lines of Road their *most direct, Expeditious, and Economical route to either of the aboae places.*

The cars leave Norfolk at 1 P. M., daily (Sundays excepted,) and arrive in Petersburg 4 25 P. M.

Passengers going to Richmond, proceed directly on, and reach Richmond at 6 15 P. M. Passengers going *West,* remain over in Petersburg for the night, and proceed by the South Side Road the next morning, leaving at 5 30 A. M.

For the special convenience of persons from that section of North Carolina, who in going to either of the named places, use the route up Black Water, and thence by the Seaboard Road to Weldon, the above Tickets to Richmond and the Virginia Springs will be sold by the Norfolk and Petersburg Rail Road Company. Agent at Suffolk, Va.

Passengers by this route up Black Water, by taking the Accommodation Train of the Seaboard Road, with which the *Boats connect;* arrive in Suffolk at 12 m. Have full time for *Dinner,* and leave by the Norfolk and Petersburg Road, at 2 P. M., arriving at Petersburg, at 4 25, and in Richmond, at 6 15 P. M, the evening of the same day of their arrival at Franklin saving by this *route* $2,15 Rail Road Fare to Petersburg.

Fare by Seaboard & Roanoke Road, from Black Water to Suffolk, $1,00; From Suffolk to Petersburg, by Norfolk and Petersburg Road $2,10; total fare $3,10. Fare from Blackwater to Weldon, $2,25; from Weldon to Petersburg $300; total fare $5,25. Difference in favor of Norfolk & Petersburg route, $2,15 to Petersburg, and $2,25 to Richmond. Baggage checked 'through' and no expense attending the transfer of *Passengers and* Baggage between Rail Road Depots in Petersburg.

Returning Passengers will find it to their interest to take *through Tickets* to Norfolk. Leaving Richmond 4 30 A. M. Petersburg at 7 A. M. Reach Norfolk at 10 30 A. M. Have the balance of the day in Norfolk. Take the Seaboard Express Train next day at 6 30 A. M.—Connecting regularly with the Boat at Black Water. Expenses by this route: Richmond to Norfolk, $3,25; Portsmouth to Black Water $1,80; total fare $5,05. By Weldon route: Richmond to Weldon $4,25; Weldon to Black Water, $2,25; total fare $6,50. *Saving in favor of the route by Norfolk and Petersburg Road $1,45 with the option of Norfolk or Suffolk, for more than a half day and night in place of Franklin by the Weldon route.*

WILLIAM MAHONE,
Engineer and Superintendent for the Norfolk and Petersburg Rail Road Company.
Norfolk, Va. July 15th, 1859. 48—tf

HOWARD ASSOCIATION,
PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution established by special endowment, for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic diseases.

THE HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life caused by Sexual diseases, several years ago directed their Consulting Surgeon to open a Dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give MEDICAL ADVICE GRATIS to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.) and in case of extreme poverty, to FURNISH MEDICINES FREE OF CHARGE.

The Directors of the Association, in their late Annual Report express the highest satisfaction with the success which has attended the labors of their Surgeons in the cure of Spermatorrhœa, Seminal Weakness, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Syphilis, the vice of Onanism or Self-Abuse, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, &c., and order a continuance of the same plan for the ensuing year.

An admirable Report on Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation, or Self-Abuse, and other diseases of the Sexual organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, will be sent by mail (in a sealed envelope), FREE OF CHARGE, on receipt of TWO STAMPS for postage.

Address, for Report or treatment, DR. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

January 25, 1859—1y.

NEW SADDLERY AND HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT IN E. CITY

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD take this method of informing the citizens of Elizabeth City, and surrounding country, that he is prepared to manufacture Saddles, Harness, Sobs and Trunks. He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of ready-made coarse and fine Harness.

Repairing of Harness, Saddles, Trunks, and Sofas done at the shortest notice, cheap for cash, or notes with approved security, payable six months from date.

Persons wanting any article in his line of business are requested to examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Shop near the Livery Stables of Mr. Charles B. Brothers, on Road street.

MARTIN W. BURK.

March 15, 1859.

ATLANTIC IRON WORKS COMPANY,
NORFOLK, VA.

ARE prepared to execute promptly orders to any extent for
CASTINGS,
FORGINGS,
BOILERS,
ENGINES,

And all other Machinery. Long experience, combined with the most improved tools, and machinery, as well as greatly enlarged facilities, enable this Company to compete with similar establishments North or South.

Orders directed to "Atlantic Iron Works Company, Norfolk, Va.," will receive strict attention.

☞ The highest Cash price paid for old Cast Iron, Brass, Copper, &c.

G. B. DAVIDS, Superintendent.

DIRECTORS—Sam'l H. Hodges, President; R. H. Chamberlaine, G. W. Farant. [ap 13:1y.

W. M. MILLAR,
NO. 11 MARKET SQUARE,
NORFOLK, VA.,

HAS NOW READY FOR EXHIBITION A NEW,
COMPLETE AND
CHEAP
STOCK OF SPRING AND SUMMER DRY GOODS,
which he offers at the
LOWEST PRICES FOR CASH!

Doing an exclusive *Cash Business,* we work for *Small Profits.* Persons from a distance who do not find it convenient to visit our city often, can have their orders put up in the best manner.

PLEASE TRY US. MILLAR'S
Cash Bargain Store, Market Square,
ap 27 Norfolk, Va.

REMOVAL.—J. M. MATHEWS' CLOCK, Watch and Jewelry Store has been removed to the new building near the corner of Main and Road streets, third door South of the Leigh House, and opposite the law office of J. L. Ball, Esq. ja 18

NOTICE PARTICULAR!!

To my friends and the public in general I give
The following offers, that they may all live:
I'll buy all they bring of the list down lower
And pay them in goods right out of my store;
I'll buy all the eggs your poultry can lay,
Or as many as you please, just as you say;
I'll buy all the bones of dead cattle and hogs,
And to finish the bargain, likewise the dogs;
I'll take all the bones you can find in the woods,
Such as cow, horse and sheep if you'll take pay in goods;
I'll take all the dry *Hides* of anything dead,
Mule hides and horse hides, black, white or red;
All these hides, if green, I also will buy,
And horse main and tail, if they be well dry.
I want all the moss, that grows on the trees,
So dry it and bring it as soon as you please,
Bring all the old *Jaw Bones* of horse, cow or sheep,
And take pay in goods, which I sell very cheap.
I'll buy all the HORNS, you can bring me to sell,
And all the old TEETH, that's *doing very well.*
I want all the rags you can spare, let me see,
Woolen, Linen or cotton will answer for me,
For flannels and broadcloths that's gnawed by the mice
I'll trade you for goods at a very low price.
I buy all old Iron, and take it in lots,
Such as plows, hoes and chains, kettles and Pots.
Attend to this notice, and to cheer your fond hopes,
I'll wind up my song and buy your old *Ropes.*

JOHN O'KELLEY, Agent for M. KELLEY.

E. City, Ap. 26, 1859.

P. S. In order to pay up my various bills,
I offer for sale a great number of sills;
I've pine, oak and cypress, also some good shingles,
Or any thing else, when the money all jingles.

J. O'K, Ag't.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE CO.,

CAROLINA CITY, N. C.

Incorporated by an Act of the Legislature of North Carolina.

THIS COMPANY BEING DULY organized, is now prepared to receive applications for insurance upon

BUILDINGS, MERCHANDISE,
Furniture, Mills, Manufactories,
SHIPS AND THEIR CARGOES,

and most kinds of property, at renumerative rates of premium.

It is aimed in the organization of this Company, to make a safe medium for Indemnity and Protection to the assured in case of Loss. An honorable and upright course of dealing, and a faithful fulfillment of its contracts, will at all times characterize the business of the Company.

Applications for Insurance may be made at the office of the Company, or to its authorized Agents.

DIRECTORS.

John A. Parrott,	William S. Long,
Levi T. Oglesby,	David W. Bell,
W. B. Grant,	A. B. Chapin,
David S. Jones,	Samuel Leffers,
Geo. W. Dill,	Joel H. Davis,
Col. Thos. J. Blakely,	D. A. Hargett,
Luke Blackman,	E. Mallett.

OFFICERS.

John A. Parrott,	President.
Levi T. Oglesby,	Vice-President.
W. S. Long,	Treasurer.
E. A. Thompson,	Attorney.
A. B. Chapin,	Secretary.
W. B. Grant, W. S. Long, David W. Bell,	*Executive Committee.*

March 22, 1859—6m.

WAVERLY NOVELS.

T. B. PETERSON & BROTHERS, of Philadelphia, Pa., have surpassed themselves by commencing, in weekly issues, the re-publication of Sir Walter Scott's novels, at the low cost of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS a number, or FIVE DOLLARS for the complete set, comprising thirty-two stories. We are very glad to see so cheap an edition of novels so much superior in their genius—to the watery trash that is written, and read, we suppose, by foolish people now-a-days. Better read them to the fiftieth time, than to waste time and spoil good taste over the blood and thunder of yellow-covered sensation novels. The Petersons' have thus far issued ten numbers, containing each a novel complete, viz, Old Mortality, Woodstock, Waverley, Ivanhoe, Rob Roy, Quentin Dorward, Guy Mannering, Kenilworth. The Abbot and The Antiquary; and we would advise all our readers to send to the Messrs. Petersons for a set of these popular and undying works of the great novelist. They are now issued at the rate of one a week, and the whole twenty-six volumes can be had free of postage, by sending five dollars to the publishers. All persons now have an opportunity here to secure his works which has never before been offered, and which may never occur again. The present chance should be taken advantage of by all.

BEE HIVE,
BEE HIVE.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

100 FINE embroidered Collars for 12½ cts each, 100 Splendid embroidered Setts only $1,25, 100 de Cost $6 to import, to be run off for only $2,50 Vails in all the newest styles from 25 cents to the finest imported.

500 Beautiful Breakfast for 50c worth 150 each,

Silks—A full line of Spring Silks in colours and Blacks,

All qualities *Dress* Goods Challies and all the new styles in market,

Valentias and Domestics,

Our stock is complete in all kinds of goods for family use,

Spring Shawls all prices from the best to the cheapest.

Parasols we are selling at less than the Jobbing prices,

Hoop Skirts in all the improved makes selling cheap,

Goods received regularly, by every steamer from New York,

The Bee Hive is the place for bargains, call and secure a Shawl before they are gone,

JAS. SMITH,
No 57 Main Street.
mh 22

VICKERY & COMPANY,

LEADERS AND INTRODUCERS OF every thing that is new and useful in the

STATIONERY LINE!

MESSRS. VICKERY & COMPANY would inform the Public that they are prepared to furnish every article in their line at lower prices than ever. Having lately gone to great expense in fitting up in the handsomest style their store, would cordially invite every one to call and examine their stock, (which is now the largest in this section of country,) before purchasing elsewhere, feeling confident that they will there find what cannot be found in any other establishment in this City.

STRANGERS

visiting our City will please not overlook this notice, as they can find here the most beautiful articles for *Bridal* or *Birthday* presents, or in fact any article in the fancy goods line.

☞ Recollect at
VICKERY & COMPANY'S
City Book Store,
oc 26 Norfolk, Va.

GRAND OPENING AT THE BEE HIVE.—In magnificent
DeLaines,
Cashmeres,
Valincies from 25c to $1 50 per yard,
Poplins,
French and English Merinoes,
Figured French Merinoes, beautiful grades,
DeBages,
Alpaccas,
Canton Cloths, &c., &c.

A splendid assortment of Silks of the latest styles and at great bargains.

EMBROIDERIES! EMBROIDERIES!!

The largest assortment of Embroideries ever seen in Norfolk, which will be sold at half price.

Domestic Goods of all kinds and qualities—No. 1 and 2 Sheeps Greys. Kerseys. Sattinetts.

No. 1 and 2 Osnaburgs Check, Homespun in all the different qualities.

Blankets of the best makes below the regular price.

The Bee Hive is under Johnson's Hall, Main Street, Norfolk, Va. oc 26

REMOVAL.

J. B. GODWIN,
DENTIST,

HAS removed his office to the new building recently erected by J. W. Hinton, Esq., between the Leigh House and the Farmers' Bank, where he will be pleased to see all in want of his services. de 14

NORTH CAROLINA
AGRICULTURAL STORE
AND
MACHINE MANUFACTORY,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING ENLARGED his Manufactory and opened a regular

AGRICULTURAL STORE,

is now prepared to fill all orders in his line at the shortest notice and on accommodating terms Such as

Horse-Powers, different sizes,
Corn Shellers, different sizes and patterns,
Wheat Threshers, different kind and sizes,
Wheat and Corn Fans,
Corn Planters.
Plough and Plough Castings
Cultivators, Hoes, Scythes and Cradles,
Reap-hooks, Spades, Shovels,
Manure Forks, Axes,
Trace and Log Chains, Hames,
Oat and Straw Cutters, various pattern
Grind-Stones, Hinges,
Nails, Screws, &c., &c.
Rakes,
Machine Bands, Trace Leather,
Wheel Barrows, Grain Cradles,
Bramble Scythes and Handles,
Cotton Leading Lines, Butcher Saws,
Cleavers, Copper Nails, Wrenches,
Bench Screws,
Force and Chain Pumps, Lead Pipes,
Gum and Hemp Packing,
Oil feeders, Files (all kinds,)
Coffee Mills, Whetstones for Scythes,
Copper Rivits and Bans, Knob Stock,
Padd Locks, Hooks and Staples, Tacks,
Wire and Wire cloth, Blacksmith's Vices,
Sand and Emery Paper Gauging Rods and Rules

Also—

CARPENTER'S TOOLS.

Farmers in want of any of the above articles will do well to give me a call.

Repairing promptly and faitafully attended to. Orders per mail will meet with strict attention.

Blacksmith's coal always on hand.

W. H. CLARK.

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A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE
IN NORFOLK CO., VA.

IT lies on the Dismal Swamp Canal, about 7 miles from Deep Creek and 14 from Norfolk, and contains from 1200 to 1500 acres, about 150 to 200 of which are now in arable order, the balance in original forest.

The soil is adapted to the production of Indian corn and other crops usually cultivated in that section. About 5 or 600 acres of the tract would make as fine a farm as any in Eastern Virginia; adjoining lands of similar quality *unimproved,* have produced from 14 to 15 barrels of corn per acre, and the wood and timber on the land would pay every expense of clearing, when it would be worth $50 per acre.

It presents, also, great facilities for carrying on the wood business. Immense quantities of the best quality could be sold at paying prices at Norfolk or on the Canal bank, along which the land stretches for several miles. The facilities of water carriage would also render the trucking business profitable.

There is a large Juniper swamp on the tract, valuable for its rail and shingle timber.

The pasturage and range for Stock is unsurpassed. A free School is within one mile of the dwelling Persons desirous of purchasing are referred to Messrs. George T. Wallace and John West, who live near the place, and to Mr. Benjamin T. Tatem, near Norfolk, who will take pleasure in showing the land.

For further information and terms, which will be liberal, apply to

JOSEPH T. TATEM.

November 2, 1858. 1y-tf

INFIRMARY FOR SLAVES
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

THE SUBSCRIBER has opened at the Marine Hospital (in a separate building) an INFIRMARY FOR INVALID SLAVES. He has ample accommodations for a limited number, and will give them his careful attention—supplying them with every necessary their case requires. An Institution of this kind offers many advantages to masters having servants afflicted with chronic or surgical diseases. And, from its economy, they are relieved of the expense and annoyance of having such upon a plantation.

The charges for Board, Medical attendance, Nursing, and Medicine, are $6 per week, payable upon the removal of the patient.

In cases requiring a surgical operation, in addition to the above rates, a fee varying from $2 to $30, in different cases, will be charged for the operation, the particulars of which may be ascertained upon application at the Infirmary.

The services of any other regular Physician will be allowed, at the expense of the master.

Persons in the country desiring to send patients to the Infirmary, or obtain information concerning it, may address the subscriber.

☞ No contagious diseases admitted.

H. P. RITTER, M. D.

April 27, 1858—1y.

Daily Line by Steam from
NORFOLK AND PORTSMOUTH TO
MURFREESBORO',

TRI-WEEKLY FROM WELDON TO MURFREESBORO

TRI-WEEKLY LINE FROM PLYmouth and Edenton to Murfreesboro'.

THE Steamer Leonora, Capt. Jester, will leave Murfreesboro' every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 A. M., connecting with the Curlew at the mouth of the Meherrin River and return to Murfreesboro by 2 P. M. Leave Murfreesboro' for Franklin Depot every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7 A. M.; connecting with the Express Train to Portsmouth. Passengers will arrive in Portsmouth at 5 P. M.

Returning, the Leonora will leave Franklin Depot; on the same days, upon the arrival of the Express Train from the South, arriving at Murfreesboro' at 9 P. M.

At the beginning of the Sessions of the two Female Colleges in Murfreesboro the Leonora will make Extra Trips, connecting